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UNION PLANNING TO TAKE OVER ASSOCIATED OIL CO.

United Capital, $100,000,000, Will Make Formidable Rival of Standard

DEAL ON SOME TIME

Consummation of Great Merger Is Expected at Once

(Special to the Republican.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Negotiations are pending for the acquisition of the Associated Oil Company by the Union Oil Company of California. Matters have reached such a stage that actual consummation of the deal, which will be one of the largest put through in years, is expected any day.

The Associated Oil is controlled by the Southern Pacific Company, which owns $20,069,000 of the $40,000,000 worth of outstanding common stock.

The Union Oil Company of California has an authorized capital of $50,000,000, so that the amalgamation of these two concerns will result in the establishment of probably the greatest competitor the Standard Oil has ever had. Just what the terms of the consolidation will be cannot be learned, but it is known that the proposal being considered involves turning over a large amount of cash to the Associated Oil interests.

Acquisition of the Associated by the Union will not be relished by the Standard Oil, which has had its eyes on the Union property for years, but was afraid to take it over lest such action stir up public indignation and excite further attacks on the company by politicians.

Interests controlling the Union have considered the advisability of acquiring the Associated for a long time. The Union people entered into extended negotiations about a year ago with a view to absorbing the property, but these negotiations were broken off because there was a divided opinion among the leading stockholders of the Union about the wisdom of carrying it out. It is understood that the Southern Pacific Company is willing to part with the Associated because of the increased pressure being brought by the government on railroads owning interests other than those doing a transportation business.

JAPANESE TO PICK THEIR FAIR SITE

Plans for Ceremonies at San Francisco Are Being Matured

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Plans for the ceremonies attending the selection of the site of the Japanese building at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, held in abeyance pending the funeral of Emperor Mutsuhito, will be reconsidered tomorrow. Colonel Cornelius Gardiner, commandant of the Presidio, has arranged for a review of troops in honor of the occasion. The imperial commissioners, General Haruki Yamawaki, Yoshi Katsu Katayama, and Goichi Takeda, will participate in the ceremonies.

Japan will be the first foreign nation to select a site for an exposition building. It is understood that the Japanese government will spend $1,000,000 on its exhibit.

SEVERAL AVIATION RECORDS AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—It took Glenn H. Martin less than eighteen seconds to "get off the earth" at the aviation meet today. Martin started his engine, rose, and flew 500 feet, all in 17.45 seconds.

Martin also won the event for most accurate landing, shutting his engine off 1000 feet up and descending to within nine feet of a given point.

In the twelve mile race by biplanes carrying driver and passenger, Dr. Lloyd Thompson won first prize in 14 minutes and 9.76 seconds.

Aviator Earl Daughtery and a passenger were two thousand feet in the air when the engine of the biplane went wrong. Daugherty kept control of the machine and made a perfect glide to earth.

MILITARY COMPANY TO BE MUSTERED OUT

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 13.—The Sacramento organization of troop B, of the First squadron, National Guard of California, will be mustered out some time next week following the issuance of orders today by Adjutant General E. A. Forbes. "General inefficiency" is the reason for Forbes' orders. Captain O. J. Boden is commander of the troop.

Troop B has been under general inspection for its work by the adjutant general's staff for several months, and it has failed generally "to come up to the standard of the service."

MADERO AND OROZCO MAKE PEACE MOVE

President Is Hissed and Diaz Given Ovation on Streets of Capital---Border Contests

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 13.— The name of Madero was hissed here today in the chamber of deputies and that of Diaz was cheered by a crowd that packed the galleries. In the streets later disapproval of the President was loudly voiced by throngs who watched the chief executive pass in his carriage. The same throngs called hearty vivas for the deposed Diaz.

The police dispered the crowds without meeting any resistance. The deputies were holding a preliminary session to pass upon disputed credentials, when incidents in the debate relative to deputies who had opposed Madero called forth the outburst from the galleries.

PEACE PROPOSAL

EL PASO, Sept. 13.—Proposals of peace in Mexico have been made to President Madero by Colonel R. Gomez Robelo, confidential agent of Orozco, and representatives in the United States of the revolutionary party. A letter containing a suggestion for a peace conference was sent from Colonel Robelo a few days ago to the President of the republic. Acting as messenger of the document was Senor Antonio de Magana, president of the Democrat anti-reelectionist party of Mexico.

Senor Magana is due to arrive today in Mexico City and present the letter to President Madero. He came here a few days ago and presented to Colonel Robelo credentials from the Mexican department of state. He said that he acted as a peace envoy from the President to the revolutionists in the north. Colonel Robelo, an attorney by profession and probably the most brilliant of the Orozco followers, chanced to be in El Paso, where he was arrested recently on a charge of conspiracy, but acquitted by the United States commissioner after a preliminary hearing.

In his letter to Madero in answer to the propositions made verbally by the envoy, Colonel Robelo sets forth a plan for a peace conference. He proposes that four factions be represented, the government, the revolution, the army and the civilian.

BORDER SITUATION

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 13. — The plight of El Tigre, on which a long range attack was begun by rebels under Salazar early today, the whereabouts of Rojas' band of rebels who failed to attack Agua Prieta this morning, and the inactivity of the 1200 Mexican federal soldiers under General Sanjines in the border town, were the chief topics of conversation and conference today by United States authorities on the American side of the line.

Nothing had been heard of the fight at El Tigre since the report that rebels had attacked. The telephone wires were cut about noon today after word was received that 180 federals had left Yzabal for El Tigre, thirty-five miles distant. Rojas was reported at Gallardo ranch, twelve miles from Agua Prieta, today.

The Douglas International, a local afternoon newspaper heretofore a strong supporter of the Madero government, referred today to the attitude of the federal leaders as a "disgusting farce." Reports from many points in Sonora indicate that rebel bands are looting regardless of nearby federal troops. Word was brought here today that Edward Haymore, one of the principal merchants of Sonora, had disappeared while bringing merchandise from his store at Colonia, Morelos. Haymore was robbed of merchandise valued at $2500 several days ago while trying to bring his goods to the American side. He returned for another load. Mormon refugees from his colony today found his wagons and the partly destroyed harness of his horses about nine miles southeast of Douglas.

ATTACK POSTPONED

General W. Schuyler, commanding the Department of California, said today that Rojas had informed him that he had "postponed his attack on Agua Prieta in deference to the wishes of the American government."

The entire Ninth cavalry, commanded by Colonel Guilfoyle, with the exception of one squadron and a troop, is encamped here. The colored troops will be used to patrol the border from Douglas east to the New Mexico line, while the Fourth cavalry will patrol the border west of Douglas.

AMERICANS IN DANGER

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 13.—The American embassy has been informed by John Devine, writing from Cuernavaca and claiming to be an American enlisted in the Mexican army, that he has been sentenced to death by the federals and that he is ignorant of the charge against him. The embassy has so far been unable to discover the writer's name among the Mexican soldiers.

ASK PROTECTION

NOGALES, Sept. 13.—Rebel bands are reported mobilizing twenty-five miles southwest of Nogales, Sonora, where Emilio Campa is encamped. A large force is reported at Imuris, forty miles south.

Americans at Hermosillo today requested the American consul here to provide them with 100 rifles and 25,000 rounds of ammunition. Before the rifles could be shipped out of the United States, Campa had put the railroad out of commission.

NO SURRENDER.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 13.—The attack of Inez Salazar's rebels on El Tigre today ended in repulse for the rebels by the small band of federals garrisoning the camp. According to word received here tonight, the attack began at 6 o'clock this morning. Salazar sent a messenger at 7:30 o'clock, under a flag of truce, to the commander of the federals, demanding the surrender of the town to avoid further bloodshed. As no one in the camp had been wounded, it was believed that Salazar's request came as the result of a loss among his own men.

When the demand of the town's surrender was refused, Salazar renewed the attack and firing continued until 6 o'clock tonight. At that hour Salazar withdrew his force, but at nightfall, they began firing upon the town at long range, the federals replying to the fire. During the day's fighting two federals were wounded. No Americans were hurt. The rebel loss is unknown. One rebel was killed on the streets.

It is thought their loss in the hills was heavy.

MINE CONTINUES.

The plant of the El Tigre Mining Company was still operating late tonight. Reinforcements for the federal garrison are expected to reach there at midnight. General Sanjines is expected to send a force from Agua Prieta south at daybreak.

A detachment of Rojas' band is reported to be twenty miles north of Colonia Morelos tonight. The remainder are still at Ceniza, twelve miles from Douglas. A party of Mormons left here to rescue five men and two boys who are still at the colony. Because of the belief here that Edward Haymore, a prominent Mormon merchant, was murdered by the rebels, it is feared that the Mormons remaining at the colony will meet a similar fate if their rescuers are too late. Haymore's clothing was found today near the place where his wagon was discovered.

E. S. O'Reilly and two American companions who crossed the line into Mexico early yesterday are reported to have re-crossed at the camp of the American border patrol, twenty miles east of Douglas. They had but one horse and reported that their two other horses had been shot in a brush with Rojas.

MUST PROTECT CITIZENS.

EL PASO, Sept. 13—Summarizing the work of his committee, Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, chairman of the sub-committee of the Senate committee on foreign relations to investigate alleged American activity in fomenting the present Mexican revolution, said today:

"While it would be foolhardy for our government to involve itself unnecessarily in the affairs of Mexico, yet as a practical suzerain in the western hemisphere, we should never hesitate to protect American citizens from torture, persecution or robbery which occur through the inability of constitutional authorities to exercise their protective functions for the preservation of the liberties and other rights of Americans. So many cases of wanton oppression and unnecessary hardship have presented themselves to our committee and seemingly so little has been done by our government to strike at the root of the entire difficulty, that I am not surprised to find among the more reckless of the Mexican people a disposition to belittle our prowess, decry our strength and misconstrue our motives. A firm, vigorous, determined and unrelenting foreign policy which asks for justice and fair treatment of Americans at the hands of other governments and assures the same treatment of their citizens among us, should be the secure heritage of our people, and it must not be a garment to put on and off at the whim or caprice of any one.

"If I had an idea regarding intervention, I would not give it, because I have no faith upon which to base such a statement. I will say, however, that I hope that long before our government could act through appropriate channels, a fair and equitable solution between the warring elements in Mexico will have been reached."

Senator Smith left today to join his fellow committeemen, Senator A. B. Fall of New Mexico at Los Angeles. His preliminary investigations here are completed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13. There was a distinct air of relief in the War Department today when General Schuyler reported from Douglas, Ariz., the withdrawal southward of the Mexican rebel bands that had been threatening Agua Prieta across the border from Douglas.

The retreat is believed to have largely due to the uncompromising attitude of the American patrol. Orders to prevent fighting at Agua Prieta, if fire were directed toward Douglas would have been carried out to the letter according to the general staff, even if that involved the sending of American troops across the boundary.

PRIVATEERING

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 13.—Twenty-nine heavily armed, well mounted American cowboys, each carrying 1,000 rounds of ammunition, led by E. S. O'Reilly, a former newspaper man and soldier of fortune, left here presumably for Nacozari, before daybreak today. The departure of similar bands from Naco, Nogales and other border towns are reported tonight.

Local officials of American companies operating in Mexico disclaim all knowledge of the expeditions. No one appeared to know who financed the expedition from here.

AMERICAN EXPEDITIONS.

EL PASO, Sept. 12—A special dispatch to the El Paso Herald from Douglas, Arizona, states that the twenty-nine Americans leaving there this morning entered Sonora east of Douglas and that simultaneously 125 Americans crossed the line near Hachita, N. M., fifty between Naco, Ariz., and Douglas, and 125 into Lower California at Mexicali. Each man is reported to carry 1000 rounds of ammunition.

E. S. O'Reilly who, according to the dispatch, leads the Douglas expedition, fought with Madero about Ojinaga and Santa Rosalia and is well known here. During the present revolution he has been a field correspondent at many battles. Some years ago he rode horseback from San Antonio, Texas, to New York, bearing to President Taft, San Antonio's invitation to visit that city. He is six feet five inches tall and a Texan.

STORM RAGES ON GULF; MOBILE IS THREATENED

MOBILE, Ala., Sept. 14—The storm raging along the Gulf Coast has increased its fury and at an early hour this morning water blown from the Gulf into the river began to back into the sewers here and is within a foot of the dock level. Velocity of the wind has increased and it is feared streets along the water front will be inundated before daylight. Rain is falling in torrents.

Merchants in the lower wholesale district are removing goods from the first and second floors.

A telephone message from Pensacola early this morning states the wind is blowing there at the rate of 70 miles an hour. No damage was reported.

COMMUNITY STORE IN LOS ANGELES; HUNDREDS JOIN

(Special to the Republican.)

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—Many residents of the northern part of the city purpose to reduce the cost of living by conducting a community store on the co-operative plan, and have interested the municipal authorities in the arrangement. City Prosecutor Eddie took stock in the project, and hundreds of others have subscribed enough to launch the proposition on a sound basis. The plan is to open a large store and sell goods at moderate prices, making just enough to pay for maintenance and remunerate the stockholders in slight degree. When commodities are cheap great quantities are to be purchased and stored and sold correspondingly cheap when the consumers want them. Prosecutor Eddie believes the idea will be a success.

MORTGAGES HOME TO MEET SON ON BOAT; IS GREETED BY COFFIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—When William H. Greer of Nashville, Tenn., met the transport Logan, from the orient today, having mortgaged his home in order to come to San Francisco to join his son, he was shown a casket containing the young man's remains. The son, J. W. Greer, who was an examiner in the customs service at Manila, had died of fever on the voyage across the Pacific.

Greer recently wrote to his father, an old man, that he was ill and would leave on the Logan for the continent. Funds were low and the father had to mortgage the family home to make the journey here. He eagerly awaited the coming of the ship today. In response to his anxious inquiry, a deck officer led him astern and silently pointed to the casket.

PRETTY WIDOW ASKS ARREST OF "FRIEND"

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13—Mrs. Otilla Young, of San Jose, widow of Henry Young, a San Jose mining man, swore out a warrant here today for the arrest of James Kendall, a San Francisco linen importer, whom Mrs. Young accuses of having threatened to kill her, when she refused to accept his unwelcome attention. Although Henry Young has been dead seven years, Mrs. Young declares that she learned that a man who said he was a mine operator of New York, registered at a hotel here, August 23, as Henry Young, and that she believes Jaudes Kendall took the name of her dead husband, through a strange notion that it would aid him in his pursuit of her. She said Kendall threatened to kill her at Suisun, when she resisted his advances.

Kendall is now believed to be in Los Angeles.

ASK OLD SAILOR TO FIND HIDDEN MONEY

ELLENSBURG, Wash., Sept. 13—"Uncle Joe" Morrell of Ellensburg, sole remaining survivor of the Salp Golden Gate, which burned and sank off Manzanillo, Mexico, in 1854 with over $2,000,000 in California gold on board, received a letter today from a San Francisco syndicate asking certain details of the wreck and the bearings of the spot where the Golden Gate sank. The latter carried the information that sufficient money to raise the wreck had been subscribed and that soon an expedition would be fitted out. Morrell was promised a liberal share of the gold in return for his information should the expedition prove successful.

COST $15,000 FOR POLICE PROMOTION

NEW YORK, Sept. 15—The sum of $15,000 price asked of a police captain by "politicians and others" for promotion to the office of inspector according to the testimony given by Police Commissioner Waldo today as a witness before the aldermanic committee which is investigating alleged corruption in the police department. Waldo swore he had an affidavit from one captain that he was approached and asked to give such a sum as a condition precedent to his promotion.

JOHNSON SPEAKS IN NORTHWEST, ROOSEVELT IN UTAH

Roosevelt Electoral Ticket in California Is Named

WILSON'S SCHEDULE

Declares He Has Not Promised to Support N. Y. Democratic Ticket

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—The list of Roosevelt-Johnson electors who will go on the November ballot, as given out here today by the Progressive state campaign committee, contains the name of the first woman candidate for presidential elector. She is Mrs. Florence Porter Collins of Los Angeles. The list follows:

A. J. Wallace, lieutenant governor of California.

Florence Collins Porter, Los Angeles.

George C. Pardee, Oakland.
Marshall Stimson, Los Angeles.
Frank D. Devlin, Vallejo.
Ralph W. Bull, Arcata, Humboldt county.
R. C. Fernald, Santa Barbara.
John P. McLaughlin, San Francisco.
M. B. Harris, Fresno.
J. W. Finney, Downieville, Sierra county.
M. A. Luce, San Diego.
Charles S. Wheeler, Philip Bancroft, San Francisco.

The last two were named delegates to the Republican convention at Chicago and refused seats by the national committee on contests.

The canvass for the requisite 11,000 signatures to put these names on the ballot as electors of the Progressive party will be begun at once by the Roosevelt central committee.

PETITIONS CIRCULATED.

The petitions will be circulated by the county organizations, and it is confidently expected that the number of names required will be obtained with little delay. The Progressives will give the Taft supporters the proof of the case which electors may be put upon the ballot if the standpat candidates have any real following in California, and if the reactionaries cannot get so few as 11,00 signatures, they have no excuse for calling themselves even a faction of the Republican party of the State.

The law requires that electors may be put on the ballot only by the petition of voters who did not participate in the primary election. But as the Roosevelt-Johnson strength was not nearly brought out by the primary election of a couple weeks ago, there will be plenty of Progressives in the State to insure their electors an independent place on the November ticket.

REPRESENTATIVE NAMES

The electors named by the Progressives are leaders in the popular movement in California. They are the men and the representatives of women who fought for good government in California and have since been instrumental in carrying the crusade to the people of the entire nation.

All districts and all classes of the State are represented. The Union Labor men of California, who recognize in Roosevelt and Johnson the real friends of labor in the Union, have as their presidential elector John P. McLaughlin, long a recognized leaders of labor in California and at present the State Labor Commissioner.

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., Sept. 13.—Governor Johnson came into South Dakota today to deliver two speeches and lend a hand in an attempt to straighten out the tangle in which Progressive and Republican leaders have become involved. At a meeting between the California executive, Governor Vesey, Senator Crawford, Carl Sherwood, chairman of the Republican state committee and other political leaders, the situation was threshed out with pleasing results to the vice presidential candidate.

"Everything looks fine in South Dakota," Governor Johnson said after the meeting. "I do not feel apprehensive in the least about the Progressive cause here."

The most important accomplishment of the conference was the decision to make John Sutherland, who managed the Roosevelt primary campaign in the state last spring, assistant to Sherwood. By this action, the Progressives hope to get some work done for the national ticket. Sherwood, although he is listed as a Progressive, has done nothing towards furthering the interests of Roosevelt and Johnson because of the rejection of the regular Republicans. His plan has been to wait until after the meeting at Mitchell, September 19th, where it is proposed to put Taft electors and a full state Republican ticket in the field by petition.

ELECTORS PROGRESSIVE

The contention of the Taft adherents is that the Progressives in the state have stolen the Republican name by having the five Progressive electors who were chosen by the state convention go on the ticket as Republicans. Effort has been made to induce the Progressive electors to resign, but they have shown no disposition to do so.

All candidates on the state and congressional tickets have agreed to work together. The ticket is composed of Progressive candidates with the exception of the aspirants for lieutenant governor, auditor and Congressmen Burke and Martin, who are candidates for re-election. They are regulars, but they, too, have agreed to the state ticket harmony plan.

The governor made addresses at Huron and Sioux Falls.

OGDEN, Sept. 13.—"We're going to beat the bosses 2 to 1 at the polls next November," Colonel Roosevelt prophesied today at Pocatello, Idaho.

Colonel Roosevelt made his prophesy

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NOGI SUICIDES TO DO HONOR TO DEAD EMPEROR OF JAPAN

Famous General and His Wife Harakiri as Mikado's Body Removed From Tokio—Honors in America

TOKIO, Sept. 13.—General Count Maresuke Nogi, supreme military councillor of the empire, and his wife, the Countess Nogi, committed suicide tonight in accordance with the ancient Japanese custom, as a final tribute to their departed emperor and friend, Mutsuhito.

The death by their own hands of the famous general and his wife, was as dramatic as it was sad. The general cut his throat with a short sword and the countess committed harakiri.

Following the Samurai custom, the couple had carefully prepared their plans for killing themselves and timed them so that they could be coincident with the departure forever from Tokio of the dead emperor.

General Nogi and the countess had attended the funeral services of Mutsuhito at the palace here today, and it was expected they would proceed to Aoyama tonight with the cortege. Instead, however, at the conclusion of the ceremony at the palace they withdrew to their modest home in Akasaka, a suburb of Tokio, and there began their final preparations for death.

First, the general wrote a letter to his new emperor, Yoshihito, which later was found beside his body. Then he draped in mourning a portrait on the wall of the late emperor and afterward he and his wife dressed themselves in full Japanese costume and drank a farewell cup of sake from cups which had been presented to them by Mutsuhito.

Darkness had fallen and General Nogi and the countess sat and awaited the signal they had agreed upon to announce their leave-taking. This was the booming of a single gun in the palace grounds at Tokio, which was to let the people know that the body of the emperor was starting on the funeral car for its last resting place.

FOUND DYING

As the boom of the gun resounded through the clear, still night, General Nogi arose, and, grasping in his hand a short sword, plunged it into his throat, while the countess stabbed herself through the body. A student who resided in the Nogi home heard the fall of the bodies and rushed into the room.

Lying upon the floor were the hero of Port Arthur and his wife. Both still were breathing, but their spasmodic gasps showed plainly that death was near. The student hurried for aid, but when he returned, both the general and the countess were dead.

The tragedy created a profound sensation and expressions of sorrow were heard on every hand tonight. Especially grief-stricken was Prince Arthur of Connaught, the British special envoy to the funeral of Mutsuhito. Prince Arthur was to have gone with General Nogi tomorrow to the former capital of the Shogunate, Kamakura.

ALWAYS A STOIC

Those who knew General Nogi well declared that his calmness in killing himself tonight was the kind of stoicism he always had displayed, no matter what crisis faced him. They instanced the famous charge of the Japanese up 203-meter hill during the Russo-Japanese war, when as commander of the Japanese third army, Nogi saw the Russians mow down his forces in hundreds, among them two of his own sons, and yet quietly and fearlessly continued the battle, taking the hill and eventually being handed the surrender of Lieutenant General Stoessel at Port Arthur.

TRIBUTES TO MEMORY.

AOYAMA, Sept. 13—Both the emperor and the people of Japan tonight paid homage to the memory of Emperor Mutsuhito at the funeral hall at Aoyama.

In front of the great casket the young emperor read an address of lamentation in which he referred to the events in the life of his great father. Then in behalf of the people of Japan, the premier, Marquis Saionji, delivered a patriotic address and was followed by the minister of the household, who spoke for the dead emperor's attendants. The hall was crowded with thousands of high dignitaries, among whom were sprinkled a considerable number of foreigners.

When the great procession accompanying the body from the imperial palace in Tokio arrived at the entrance to the grounds of the palace at Aoyama, ten huge gas lanterns were lighted. Ritualists then arranged white curtains at the back and side of the bier, and a half drawn blind in front. While the preparations were in pro-

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TRAIN RUNS AWAY; SEVERAL INJURED

Strange Accident to Twenty Cars on Down Grade at Weed

WEED, Cal., Sept. 13.—While the engine of a Southern Pacific freight was cut loose from the train this afternoon and had gone down the track for water, twenty cars started backward to Edgewood station, a mile and a half from here. There is a down grade to Edgewood with S. R. Saunders, a stockman, the only human being to accompany the runaway train on its mad dash. Before the train had gone a mile, twelve of the jolting cars jumped the track and broke loose from the other four. On one of these twelve was Saunders, who was thrown from the top of a car of cattle and sustained a broken arm and other injuries from which it is thought he cannot recover.

The four cars which remained on the rails continued on the blind run to Edgewood and there crashed into passenger train No. 13, which had just started to pull out of the depot. The train was being pulled by two engines. The engineers on both engines jumped. The fireman on the second engine jumped but the fireman on the first engine stuck to his post and was not injured.

Joe Poor, engineer of the first engine, broke his leg and one bone in his leg by jumping. A baggage man was buried under a load of trunks which were shaken down by the force of the impact, but he was only slightly injured. Two lady passengers were slightly injured.

None of the injured are in serious condition save Saunders, who was thrown from the stock train.

DR. COOK INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Sept. 13.—Dr. J. A. Cook, state horticultural commissioner, was slightly injured in an automobile accident here today while returning from an inspection tour of the orange groves in the Arlington district. R. P. Cundiff, county commissioner, was driving the machine, which was overturned in a quick turn around a corner. Dr. Cook was painfully wrenched and bruised but none of his bones were broken.

GERMAN METHODISTS.

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 13.—The state conference of German Methodist churches continued its sessions today, the time being mainly occupied with papers on missionary work and discussion on that subject. This evening, Bishop W. O. Shepard of Kansas City, Kansas, lectured before a large audience on "The Joy of Life."

GRANDCHILDREN SUE FOR $500,000

Attempt to Break Will of Eccentric Money Lender of Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—Two little grandchildren of James Russell Ford, who had been widely known in this city as a money lender, are behind a suit filed today in an effort to break his will, in which he bequeathed to his sister an estate valued at more than $500,000.

The youthful contestants are Myrton and Marjorie Pfau, 17 and 11 years of age respectively, of Oakland, Cal., the children of William F. Pfau, who married a daughter of the money lender. The litigation is directed against Sarah Katherine Ford of Lima, Ohio, at whose home Ford died last August while on a visit.

Charges of fraud, undue influence and neglect to conform with the provisions of the law of California are made by the father of the Pfau children.

The instrument by which Ford sought to cut off all his relatives but his sister, it was said, was signed by him but a month before his death. Ford was 57 years of age and his eccentric actions attracted considerable attention.

NEGRO CAPTAIN BECOMES MAJOR

Is Now Organizing Army of the Republic of Liberia

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Captain Charles Young of the Ninth United States cavalry, the only negro army officer graduated from West Point, has been promoted to the rank of major. It is said no other negro has attained that rank in the regular army. Young is now military attache to Liberia and is organizing the army of the black republic.

BEATS HIS WIFE; SKULL PROBABLY FRACTURED

RIVERSIDE, Sept. 13.—Sheriff Wilson left here tonight for Wildomar with a warrant for the arrest of J. P. McDermott on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder. It was alleged that McDermott had beaten his wife with a piece of hose until she nearly died. She is under a physician's care here at a Riverside hospital. She told the authorities that her husband had beaten her unconscious. When she regained her senses, she stated, she had dragged herself over a rough road to the home of a neighbor where she fell in a faint. Her physician stated that her skull was probably fractured.

NINE SUICIDES TO DO HONOR TO DEAD EMPEROR OF JAPAN

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gress, the emperor and the other members of the imperial family waited in a resting room.

The many battalions compromising the military and naval escorts lined up outside the entrance while the bearers of military emblems and golden "sun" and silver "moon" banners assembled in columns just inside. Others formed along both sides of the space in front of the catafalque and a protection of immense sacred trees were placed in position there.

SPECIAL ROAD BUILT.

From the entrance to the grounds up to the funeral hall a special road of concrete had been built to accommodate the funeral car. Along this road the car passed slowly, pulled by oxen, halted at the door. As the coffin was taken from the car the officiating priests and musicians passed to their positions in the vacant space around the bier. The emperor and empress and the imperial princes and princesses with their suites joined the procession and followed at a slow march. All bowed in salute as the casket was placed on the bier.

The ritualistic ceremonies then began, the chief ritualist reciting a prayer which was followed by a mournful Shinto hymn chanted to the accompaniment of sacred instruments. Then offerings were made to the spirit of the departed, consisting of divine food composed of rice, sake, seaweed and salt and vegetables, and articles of clothing made of brocade, figured silk and other textiles.

Further prayers were read and hymns chanted and then the young emperor with his relatives knelt in silent prayer in front of the bier.

It was an affecting scene and an additional mournful note was added to it by the playing and chanting of the dirge known as "Rui Ka" taken from the oldest written music of Japan.

This part of the function completed, the emperor read his address of lamentation and paid his respects to his dead father by bowing low toward the coffin.

All the other personages, according to their rank, next came forward and paid their respects, after which the offerings of food and clothing were withdrawn.

This concluded the ceremony at Aoyama and the coffin was prepared for departure by special train to Monoyama, a distance of 350 miles.

STARTS ON JOURNEY.

TOKIO, Sept. 14.—The body of Emperor Mutsuhito was conveyed from Tokio to Aoyama tonight on the first stage of the journey to its lasting place at Monoyama.

It was a picturesque though solemn procession. Borne on a two-wheeled cart, drawn by oxen, the huge casket containing the body of the "Emperor of the Era of Enlightment" was taken through lines of soldiers, back of whom thronged countless thousands of natives and numerous foreigners, over three miles of roads brilliantly lighted by torches and arc lights. Under the glare of these, the black and white funeral poles and sacred trees stood out in bold relief from the background of mourning-draped and beflagged buildings.

Following the impressive funeral services of today in the palace here, the single detonation of a gun tonight served as an announcement to the waiting thousands in Tokio that the cortege was leaving the palace for Aoyama. The firing of this gun, it developed later, also was the signal which General Count Maresuke Nogi, one of Japan's foremost soldiers, and his wife awaited to kill themselves so that they might be with the departed emperor, whom the general had served so well in life.

100,000 ATTEND.

Within the palace park, torches and electric lights illuminated the spectacle of the casket being conveyed from the palace and placed on the funeral car. One hundred thousand persons had been favored with permits to enter the park, and they stood silet as a military salute of one thousand guns was fired in honor of the dead ruler. The pallbearers included General Kuroki, General Oku, Admiral Togo, Vice Admiral Sato and Viscount Ijuin.

Immediately the cortege departed, the screens in the upper palace windows were drawn and Emperor Yoshihito proceeded in a carriage to Aoyama. His majesty was accompanied by Prince Katsura, the lord chamberlain, who wore the uniform of a field general.

At midnight the detonation of guns was heard in every corner of the empire. It was the supreme moment of the ceremony at Aoyama, when the emperor and empress knelt beside the bier of the departed monarch and prayed while the entire assemblage stood with bowed heads. Thousands of bells in the Buddhist temples and Christian churches tolled at this hour and minute guns boomed on sea and land.

AT LOS ANGELES.

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—Services in memory of Mutsuhito, the late emperor of Japan, were held here tonight under the auspices of the Japanese association of Los Angeles. They were held simultaneously with similar ceremonies throughout the world in which Japanese and natives of other countries united in honoring the dead ruler.

At the services here, G. R. Yuas, president of the local association of the Japanese presided. Brief addresses were made by F. D. R. Moote, president of the Japanese American fraternity; Mayor George Alexander; I. Hasegawa, president of the Japanese students association; Rev. J. Izumida, priest of the Los Angeles Buddhist mission; Rev. J. K. Inazawa, representing the Japanese allied with Christian churches; and Edward R. Regan, deputy United States district attorney.

FIRST OF FUNERAL

TOKIO, Sept. 13.—Funeral ceremonies of the late Emperor Mutsuhito of Japan, posthumously known as "The Emperor of the Era of the Enlightenment," began yesterday amid surroundings in which century-old rites and costumes were mingled with modern military display.

From the most extreme points of Japan, subjects have been assembling in Tokio. At midnight great crowds had gathered along the route of the procession.

The weather was fair. A police cordon was established shutting off the streets through which the body of the emperor will be transported and upon which it is estimated half a million persons will be accommodated.

Soon after midnight, officials proceeded to the palace in preparation for the early ceremony.

The somber coloring associated with western mourning was almost entirely absent, being replaced by the brilliant hues of the Orient.

FOREIGN VISITORS

Official representatives of every country had come to Tokio to participate in the solemnities. Among them were princes, representing reigning houses and special embassies commissioned by republican presidents. The list included Philander C. Knox, secretary of state of the United States, who was accompanied by Ransford E. Miller, chief of the Far Eastern section of the State Department at Washington; Rear Admiral Alfred Reynolds and Brigadier General John J. Pershing. Members of the regular foreign diplomatic body were present in their uniforms.

From an early hour in the morning the palace in its great private park in the heart of the capital was the goal toward which virtually everybody in Tokio made his way on foot. The late emperor only occasionally during his life left the moated enclosure where his body had lain in state since August 13th. Since that date on each tenth day, solemn memorial services and sacrifices to the spirit of the departed ruler were performed.

SHINTO HONORS

The casket containing the body lay in state in the main hall. It had been decorated according to Shinto rites by a special corps of ritualists. The casket measured nearly ten feet by five and weighed one and a half tons.

At 8 o'clock in the morning the official mourners began to arrive. First came the wearers of imperial decorations, court officials, ministers of state and their wives and other specially invited personages. After these came the members of the funeral commission in native ceremonial costumes with swords. They were followed by the chief and assistant ritualists of the imperial funeral corps, also in all native costume. Members of the household then took their places and were followed by the higher officials who personally attended on the late emperor, representatives of the peers related to the imperial family and all the physicians present at the deathbed.

After a short wait, Emperor Yoshihito arrived. He was in the full uniform of commander in chief, with black crepe arm band and sword knot. He was attended by Count Togo, grand master of ceremonies, and Count Watanabe, minister of the imperial household, who were followed by court chamberlains carrying the imperial sword and seal.

After them came Prince Katsura, the lord chamberlain, with General Takamura, the chief aide de camp.

A small procession composed of the princes of the imperial blood in order of precedence came next.

The empress then entered in a native court dress made of hemp cloth, her unbound hair falling on her shoulders. Her upper garment was dark brown and her skirt of dull orange. The court ladies and maids of honor, as well as the princesses of the blood, were thus attired.

The dowager empress' procession was of a similar character. She was in native costume.

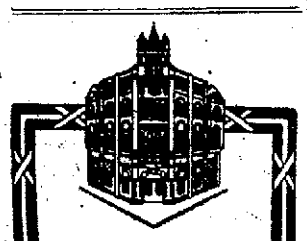
OFFERING OF FOOD

As soon as the imperial processions had entered the hall and those composing them had taken their seats, the hanging screen in front of the catafalque was removed by the ritualists and the Shinto band played a soft dirge on instruments resembling flutes, and three peculiar drums.

The chief ritualist and his assistants proffered the offerings of sacred food to the continued accompaniment of Shinto music, after which other offerings of red and white cloth enclosed in willow boxes were made. Prayers for the dead were recited by the chief ritualist.

The most solemn act of all followed when the emperor, the empress, the dowager empress and the princes and princesses advanced toward the casket and worshipped the spirit of the departed emperor. A short silence ensued, the processions were reformed and the members of the imperial family retired.

The other members of the assemblage, however, remained to worship the dead emperor's spirit, after which the Shinto ritualists advanced to the altar and removed the offerings to the round of sacred music. The screen in front of the catafalque was lowered by the chief ritualist and the first ceremony of the funeral ended.



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Elegant new suits from one of New York's foremost makers of high class suits. New cutaway model, all the new fashionable shades in two-tone effects and solid colors.

Next Monday This Business Will Be 8 Years Old

—and to fittingly celebrate the occasion and to show our appreciation of the liberal patronage of the people of Fresno and vicinity we will hold a four days' bargain carnival, commencing at 9 a. m., Monday, September 16th, to be known as our

8th ANNIVERSARY SALE

New Fall Hats

Stylish Tailor Models Fine Felt or Velvet $4.95

We are noted for our $4.95 hats for the reason that they compare in style and value to $8 or $10 hats sold elsewhere.

We are now showing a large assortment of new autumn tailored and simply trimmed models in all the new colors. Very jaunty small, medium and large styles. Dozens to choose from. Many women are buying them for their first fall hats, but they are fine enough to use for all occasions through the entire season.

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30-Inch Dress Corduroy 69c

30 inches wide, soft, pliable quality; made especially for dresses; new shades of brown, golden brown, navy, myrtle green, golden tan, cardinal and garnet; sold everywhere for 75c yd.

45-Inch French Serges $1.00

Guaranteed all pure wool; soft even quality; beautiful line of fall shades, such as Copenhagen, new tan, wisteria, golden brown, cardinal wine, navy and black. Other stores ask $1.25 for serge like this. Our price ..... $1.00 yd.

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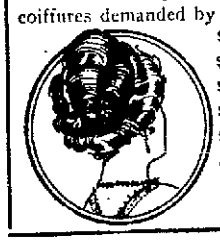

$8.00—30 in. Switches $6.75
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Savings On Domestics Today

Most desirable new domestics offered to encourage brisk buying today at worth-while savings.

Tennis Flannel

Light or dark patterns, such as used for comforter coverings; 15 yds. limit to customer ..... 5¢

Berkeley Cambric

Standard goods; regular 12 1-2c quality; limit 15 yds. to customer ..... 10¢

New Dress Ginghams

Just received, another shipment of new fall styles, in fancies; also plain colors ..... 10¢

Basement Specials

Special offerings for Saturday brisk selling. No phone orders filled at these prices.

Gottschalk's special laundry soap, 11 bars ..... 25¢

6 bars Fels Naptha Soap today for 25¢

10c cans Dutch Cleanser, 2 for 15¢

20c and 25c Writing Paper and Envelopes, odds and ends, per box ..... 5¢

35c and 50c Books, some slightly soiled ..... 19¢

100 Paper Napkins, regular 10c, for 8¢

Finest French Mixed Candy---Fresh Today

Added to the assortment of French candies, fresh today are peppermint, marshmallows, chip, wintergreen, reception, pineapple, orange, strawberry queenie, nougat, coconnut, everstone and nougat chocolates

Also twenty varieties of candies which sell in other stores for 25c and 30c, are here for 15c and 20c

Specials On Women's Handkerchiefs

Full size white hemstitched handkerchiefs with satin stripe borders, and imitation drawn work borders, also fancy embroidered edges 5c

Very sheer shamrock handkerchiefs, with dainty narrow hemstitched borders, hand embroidered initial; 20c values 10c

Special, 6 for $1.00

Ladies' Lambskin Gloves

Special, 95c

Ladies' lamb skin gloves; pique seams; fancy stitched backs; 1 clasp; in tan, white and black; all sizes.

Women's Neckwear

New line of fancy bows; made of velvet and messaline, with cut steel beads, pearl beads and rosebud trimmings; also Irish crochet effects

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If outside influences were responsible for chronic ulcers, then external applications and simple cleanliness would be a curative treatment. But the trouble is always in the blood which has become unhealthy and diseased, and keeps the sore open by continually discharging into it impurities and infectious matter. Salves, washes, lotions, etc., may cause the place to scab over temporarily, but the blood is not made purer by such treatment and soon the old inflammation and discharge will return and the sore be as bad or worse than before. S. S. S. heals old sores by going down into the blood and removing the impurities and germs which are responsible for the place. S. S. S. thoroughly purifies the circulation and in this way destroys the source of every chronic ulcer. In addition S. S. S. enriches this vital fluid and assists nature in overcoming the bad effects of a chronic ulcer. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

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Committee Will Today Present Definite Business Plan for Adoption Preceding Campaign to Raise Money to Stabilize Great Valley Industry

Definite action to admit getting down to business is expected to be taken this afternoon at a meeting of the central advisory committee of the Raisin Exchange, when the committee on plans will make a definite report on the Million Dollar Company. This report adopted, active work will start to secure subscriptions for shares. In order to keep control of the company in the growers' hands a voting trust is proposed.

Those who have been giving much time and study to the raisin industry feel that no further good can be attained by general discussion and that the time has arrived when success can come only by action.

The prospectus of the Million Dollar Company that will be submitted for approval, is as follows:

FOREWORD.

In addressing you as a prospective subscriber to stock in "The Million Dollar Company," we do so with the greatest confidence and pleasure.

With confidence that we are presenting to you an opportunity for investment which is "gilt edged," and certain of substantial profits to subscribers in the way of dividends.

With pleasure, that while the plan is attractive as an investment proposition, it will, when in operation, place the business of producing raisins and dried fruit upon a profitable basis. In other words, it is a plan which appeals to the investor, and at the same time to growers, business men, professional men, and men of all classes interested directly or indirectly in the welfare of the raisin and fruit growing industry, and of the communities dependent thereon.

The plan has the endorsement of every newspaper and every public-spirited organization in the raisin and dried fruit district. This support could not be purchased for any money by the promoters of a commercial corporation.

OBJECTS.

The primary object of this company will be to remove entirely the gambling feature now involved in producing and marketing raisins and dried fruits.

The marketing of these products has always been a "gambling game" with the result that the growers, more often than otherwise, have sold their product **below the cost of production.**

With "The Million Dollar Company" in operation, **no grower need sell his product at a loss,** as the company will stand ready to purchase at a price as high as the cost of production.

The market takes all the raisins and dried fruit you produce and **the consumer always pays a high price for them,** although you may be producing and selling at a loss. Somewhere between you and the consumer someone makes an unreasonable profit: a profit a part of which legitimately belongs to you and which would come to you if the "gambling" feature were eliminated. The "Million Dollar Company" will insure stability of prices and will stop at least that part of the gambling which often makes you sell at a loss.

In cooperation with the California Raisin Exchange, the company will put the industry on a stable basis. All classes will share in the resulting prosperity, and incidentally the subscribers to stock, through the dealings of the company in raisins and dried fruits, will reap substantial profits.

To the grower we say that the plan means profit in producing raisins and dried fruits, and **increased land values.**

To the public we say that it will insure prosperity to all lines of business in raisin and dried fruit districts.

To the investor we say that it will mean substantial returns on capital invested.

THE PLAN IN BRIEF.

The plan set forth in the subscription agreement embraces three main features:

1. It contemplates the organization of a corporation with a capital stock of one million dollars ($1,000,000) divided into ten thousand (10,000) shares of the par value of one hundred dollars ($100) each. These shares will be placed without commission or discount so that the full par value of the stock sold shall be all cash in the treasury.

When shares to the value of three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars shall have been subscribed, the corporation will be organized, but subscriptions to the full amount of seven hundred and fifty thousand (750,000) dollars must be procured before any subscription shall be subject to call.

2. In order that the stock subscribed shall not be bought up for speculative control, or for control by interests hostile to raisin and dried fruit producers, it is provided that all of the stock subscribed shall be issued to and held by twenty-five trustees to be selected by the subscribers when the corporation is organized. This stock shall be held and voted by such trustees at all meetings of the corporation for the term of seven (7) years, the longest time permissible under California laws.

For the purpose of selecting trustees, the state of California is divided into five (5) districts, from each of which five (5) trustees shall be selected, each of whom must be a subscriber to stock in the company and must always be a resident and land owner in the district from which he is selected. This provision insures an equitable distribution of representation over the whole raisin and dried fruit producing territory, and what is more important, absolutely prevents removal of the control of the corporation from the territory itself.

The trustees shall issue to each subscriber a "voting trust certificate" for the amount of stock subscribed by him. These certificates shall be salable like any ordinary certificates of stock, but the stock represented by the certificate shall remain in the "pool" for the full term of seven years.

All dividends accruing to the stock shall be paid to the holders of these certificates according to the value of the stock represented.

Under this feature, no matter who is the equitable owner of stock, or the holder of a certificate, the trustees selected by the whole body of subscribers shall vote the stock originally issued, and determine the policy of the company during the period of seven years by their election of directors.

3. Provision is made for reference to the certificate holders of all questions of business policy as to which the trustees are divided and upon which the trustees desire the action of the certificate holders.

This is a public-spirited work in the interest of our general prosperity, and entirely free from mercenary motives in its promotion and organization. All business houses, bankers and professional men, as well as growers, should lend a hand—a strong hand with a well-filled purse, to help raise at least three hundred thousand dollars as quickly as possible, and thereby add five hundred thousand (500,000) dollars more to the cash returns from our crops this year.

Fresno, Cal., Sept. 12, 1912.

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PLAN OBSERVANCE OF CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Unitarians Complete Second Year in New Church Sunday

Tomorrow will be the second anniversary of the opening of the new Unitarian church, it being occupied for worship on the third Sunday of September, 1910, for the first time.

The congregation had worshipped in halls for twenty-one years, and gone through various degrees of success and failure. Mainly through the efforts of the late Dr. Chester Rowell, ably seconded by the loyal members and the minister, the present beautiful building, popularly known as the "bungalow church," was erected at a cost of $12,000. Since then the church has prospered and is now recognized as the center of Unitarian thought and activity for the entire San Joaquin valley.

On Sunday forenoon at 11 o'clock a special anniversary service will be held, and the minister, Rev. Thomas Clayton, will review the history and work of the church, and define its place in the community. The following is the substance of the program to be followed:

Piano prelude—By Mrs. Pearl Hamner.

Hymn—"Father, In Thy Mysterious Presence Kneeling."

Scripture selections.

Prayer with response.

Hymn—"Glorious Things Of Thee Are Spoken."

Brief History of the Church.

Solo, by W. L. Richardson—"Within This Sacred Dwelling," Mozart.

Address, "The Past, Present and Future of this Church; It's Place in the Community"—Thomas Clayton.

Offertory, "Ye Bid Me Welcome" (Victor Nessler)—W. L. Richardson.

Hymn—"One Holy Church of God Appears."

Benediction.

TRUSTEES CHOSEN IN RIVERDALE DISTRICT

Meeting on 23rd to Organize and Open New High School Classes

Superintendent Lindsay reports the full vote in the four districts of Riverdale, North Fork, Elkhorn and Liberty for trustees for the newly decided upon Riverdale union school district to have been as follows:

Horace Hall	26
G. L. DeLain	[illegible]
Levy Harlan	27
William French	[illegible]
K. P. Whitten	21

Thirty-four more votes were cast for eleven other candidates at large in Liberty and Elkhorn districts, but the five named received individually the largest total.

Mr. Lindsay has called for a meeting of the elected trustees for next Monday at which to formally organize the board and provide for opening the school at this term.

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9th Anniversary Sale

More Extra Specials Added For the Last Day!

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You will find these suits to be of unusual value, both as to style and as to the serviceable and stylish materials used. They are strictly new, being mostly cutaways and novel designs. Some with velvet trimmed collar and cuffs. Pretty gray mixture materials and only $14.95

High Class Suits in New Rough Serge

Navy--Brown--Gray

$18.95

The new rough serges are very popular this season. We have some new and strictly fine tailored suits in these materials in navy, brown and gray. The very latest models with guaranteed satin lined jackets. They are priced unusually low considering the style and quality—only $18.95

Strictly Fine Tailored Suits $24.75, $29.75, $39.75

These suits are unusually high class models to be found at these prices. They look to be more expensive. Being designed in the latest novelty cuts with smart trimming ideas, glass and brass buttons, braid trimmings. Made of fancy weaves, such as diagonals, rough serges, etc.

Stylish Double-Faced Material Coats Special at $18.95

We consider these coats exceptional values. Being made of a stylish double faced material in dark gray mixture on outside and large shepherd plaid on the inside. Large rolling collars trimmed with large buttons. Fine for street or automobile wear and only $18.95

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New Mercerized Crepe de Chine Gowns 98c

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Jersey and Messaline Petticoats, New, $2.95

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A JOKE AND A VOICE

Colonel Roosevelt is being followed everywhere by two orators—Adam Bede, whose constituents have enthusiastically prefixed an "ex" to his title of congressman, and John M. Harlan, who has two titles to distinction—his father was a great man and he has a great voice.

Bede is the funny man of the pair, and is really a good performer, but the serious part of his reported speeches consists of rather stupid abuse. Harlan is the star performer. That voice—we had almost said it was worth going miles to hear; but that is superfluous; it will go miles to reach you.

At the Chicago Republican convention Harlan was the most popular of all the announcers. When the reading clerks, selected by the House of Representatives from the most strident voices in the world, and trained by years of battle with the din of that unruly assemblage, had failed utterly to make themselves heard through huge megaphones, Harlan would arise without a megaphone, and address himself in easy conversational tones to the last man in the back gallery. Whether the gentleman addressed responded, it would take a telescope and a telephone to find out (a brass band was barely audible at that distance, over the rumble of voices) but Harlan's gentlest tones reached to the ultimate corner of the vast assemblage and gained for him instant favor. If dignity could have permitted him to accept pay for his services, and take the place of one of the regular announcers, the audience would gladly have chipped in ten cents a piece (which would have been $1600) to hire him for the job.

We hope everybody in California will take the trouble to journey somewhere within the zone of that wonderful voice. It will give him a new standard of the possibilities of human achievement. Incidentally, it will be an opportunity to hear some solemn logic that is funnier than Adam Bede's jokes. For Harlan, who was present and saw the Chicago convenion stolen, soberly argues that if Ormsby McHarg stirred up some futile contest from the South, on which Roosevelt never claimed anything, therefore the cases on which his claim does rest, and on which it was proved, are to be presumed to be equally futile. If you have been damaged $1000, and some lawyer, as is the way of lawyers, puts down $10,000 in the complaint, therefore you were not damaged the $1000. Can you beat that? John M. Harlan's father never decided cases on that sort of logic. But then, John M. Harlan the elder had only a human voice. One can not exceed the measure of man in any quality without some compensations.

A joke and a voice—these are the Nemeses which pursue Roosevelt. And they are both good articles of their kind. We recommend everybody to go to hear them.

THE DIFFERENCE

S. Fred Hogue, chairman of the state Taft committee, says that the names of the electoral candidates and campaign committee will not be made public until they are first submitted to a member of the Republican national committee who is now on his way to California representing that committee, as it is the desire that whatever action is taken shall be such as will receive the sanction of the national committee. The Roosevelt electors, on the other hand, are chosen by the legislative nominees, elected and instructed for that purpose by the voters themselves, at the legally held party primaries, and are submitted for ratification to no one but the people of California.

And that is the exact difference between the whole movement. The Roosevelt movement derives its sanction from the people. The Taft movement derives its sole sanction from a discredited national committee, which stole one convention and has deliberately perpetuated in its own hands the machinery for stealing the next. Taft was not nominated by the Republican national convention of 1912. He was nominated by the Republican national committee of 1908, with the assistance of the Chicago police force. On that base his nomination rests; to that authority his advocates appeal. The Roosevelt candidacy sprang spontaneously from the people of the whole United States, and his indorsement in California, as the candidate of the Republican party of this state, is the deliberate act, twice expressed at primaries, of the registered Republican voters of California.

The appeal is from the forty thieves at Chicago to the people of California. Naturally Hogue prefers the forty thieves.

SAVING AND SPENDING

The article on the work of the railroad commission, recently published in the Republican, will be followed by other similar reports, giving the exact figures on the expenses and accomplishments of the other commissions and departments of the state government. In the case of the railroad commission, the actual showing is in startling contrast with the chronic ravings of certain shallow critics, who thought that a mere showing of pay rolls would establish the appearance of extravagance. The present railroad commission has cost more than its predecessors. Whatever they cost was all wasted, because they did nothing for it. Whatever this commission might have cost, even if it had been inexcusably extravagant, would have been at least a business profit. No possible wastage could have covered the actual money value of this commission to the state. But the fact is there has been no wastage at all. The wastes of the past have been stopped, and all the money has been economically spent, for actual use and service. But the commission already has saved the people of this state over two million dollars a year, which would amount to eight millions during the four years of the Johnson administration, even if the commission adjourned tomorrow, and took a vacation on full pay for the commissioners and all their employes, for the rest of the term. All this has been done so prudently, and with such justice to the railroads, that practically not a single decision of the commission has been even contested by the railroads. And yet a great deal of the work of the commission has not reached a point where it can yet produce any direct returns at all. The inventory or physical valuation of the railroads of the state, for instance, must be costing considerable money, and it has of course not yet brought in anything at all. But when it is finished, it will be of enormous value to the state, in the matter of taxes as well as of rates. Its value will be not merely in lower rates or higher taxes. Sometime it may, instead, justify existing rates, or changes favorable to the railroads. But justice pays, if in nothing else than in saving the cost and delays of litigation and administrative friction.

One matter which has been much harped on, particularly by the San Francisco Call, has been the alleged increase in the pay roll of the San Francisco water front. That is the simplest matter of all. There are certain improvements on the waterfront which were formerly done by contract and are now being done better and cheaper by the state direct. The wages of the men engaged in this work of course appeared in one account under the old system and in another account under the new. Then they appeared in the bills of the contractors; now they appear in the pay roll of the water front. The result is a saving of money and an increase of efficiency. But, simply comparing the old pay roll, for part of the work, with the new pay roll for all the work, there is an apparent increase in this item. The Call, of course, understands its own jugglery, but it thinks the people will not find out.

USE SCHOOLHOUSES

Now that the Fresno county convention has met and acted and an efficient and harmonious county committee has been elected, the suggestion is perhaps in order that there should be an active "schoolhouse campaign" of the old-fashioned sort. Speakers of state and national reputation will of course appear in Fresno but these speakers have to cover too much ground and move too fast to have time to stop at many of the smaller places. The only way to have meetings in these places is for each county to supply them itself, largely from its local speakers. This is the old-fashioned "schoolhouse campaign," and it is really about the most useful of all campaigning.

It is useful campaigning to the people because it reaches them all, intimately and familiarly. When the people meet informally, in their various neighborhoods, everybody is likely, before the end of the campaign, to attend some such meeting, or to talk at length with some neighbor who does. They are the centers and the distributors of discussion—and free government is government by discussion. At these meetings, too, the people have the advantage over the orator. They can question him, show him their point of view, and demand that he clear up the precise points that are troubling them. And these schoolhouse meetings are especially useful to the speakers. They are the primary sifting. State and national reputations are but the expansion of local and county reputations, started in this way. For the practicing of men and the testing of men these meetings are invaluable. And for the experienced campaigner they are no less valuable, as a corrective to that aloofness from the people which sometimes grows out of large city meetings. No man in this country can teach the people much unless he learns much from the people. And there is nothing like the schoolhouse meetings of a critical campaign like the present, to acquire that learning.

So we may venture the hope that this may be a campaign of as many schoolhouse meetings as possible. There are few local offices to elect this year. The "candidate's parade," where one is held, will not be so long as to prevent discussion of the general issues. And there are more and deeper general issues to discuss this time than ever before in this generation.

Some misguided gentlemen have committed harakiri on the funeral pier of worn-out political organizations. But really virile men see a diviner impulse in living for the upbuilding of the present and glory of the future rather than a mere deification of the past.

THE SUBDUING INFLUENCE OF GETTING AWAY FROM MOTHER.

By John T. McCutcheon.

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REGISTRAR OF VOTERS

Argument in favor of statute creating the office of registrar of voters in counties.

This is an attempt to invoke the referendum for a purpose never intended. A more flagrant abuse of the referendum would be hard to imagine. The law which the electors of the state are asked to nullify, while general in its terms in order to comply with constitutional requirements, applies practically to Alameda county alone, and concerns the people of this county alone, as by amending section 4017 of the Political Code we have provided a means whereby the board of supervisors of any county in the state may consolidate the office of registrar with that of either county clerk, auditor or recorder in case they decide a registrar of voters is not needed in their county on account of the small registration.

It was approved by the entire legislative delegation of Alameda county and was deemed necessary in order to put an end to the use of the registration machinery in Alameda county to further personal political ends.

It was to prevent abuses of this character that the act to create a registrar of voters was passed. The registration in Alameda county is now a valuable adjunct of a private political bureau and is conducted in many instances to further the ends of a machine which seeks to control the county government of Alameda county. The registration of voters should be clean and honest, whatever the cost, since clean and honest registration is the basis of good government by and for the people. Separating the registration from the business of the county clerk's office will add very little, if any, to the cost of government, and need not affect the taxpayers of any other county. The people manage their own affairs, and the passage of this law was an attempt to place it in charge of an officer specially qualified to properly perform the duty.

The necessity for this legislation, particularly as regards Alameda county, was considered so urgent by the governor of the state that he included it in his call for the extra session of the legislature as one of the questions to be acted upon by the legislature.

EDWARD J. TYRRELL,
State Senator, Oakland, California.

Argument against statute creating the office of registrar of voters in counties.

1. Amending section 4018 of the Political Code by creating the additional office of registrar of voters in all counties.

2. Adding sections 4149e and 4149f to Political Code by providing for the salaries and compensation of the Registrar of Voters in all counties.

3. Amending section 4232, Political Code, by providing for the salary and assistants of the Registrar of Voters for Alameda county.

The foregoing bills are three of a series of five bills passed at the last extra session of the legislature in an effort to create the office of registrar of voters in all counties of the state, the said registrar to be appointed by the board of supervisors, not to be elected by the people. The first bill creates the office of registrar and designates it as a county office; the second fixes the salary of the officer in each county of the state, while the third fixes the salary of the office in the county of Alameda. All three bills are referred to the people for their approval or disapproval.

These bills were all fathered by the Alameda county delegation in the Legislature, and were originally intended to apply only to Alameda county. In order to comply with the provisions of the constitution, however, it became necessary to make the legislation general, and in the final bill all counties of the state are included. I make the statement without fear of contradiction that the legislation was effected simply in a desire to obtain control of the machinery and patronage of the office of county clerk of Alameda county, the incumbent of that office, John P. Cook, being distasteful to the leaders of the Alameda county legislative delegation.

A perusal of the bill applying to the various counties of the state will demonstrate the limits to which a legislative body will go in an effort to strike at the patronage of an individual elective office holder.

The real purpose of these measures being to take the registration of voters out of the hands of the clerk of Alameda county, and the bills chiefly and primarily affecting said county, and being of little or no interest to the other counties of the state, the attitude and wishes of the citizens of Alameda county should have much weight in determining the course of the voters throughout the state with reference to these measures.

That the people of Alameda county are satisfied with John P. Cook's management of registration affairs is best evidenced by the fact that they have three times elected him their county clerk, each time with an increased majority. At the last election his majority was 13,000, while at the same election Governor Johnson carried the county by slightly over 5,000 votes. That they desire the clerk's office to continue in charge of registration affairs is further evidenced by the fact that out of a then total of 27,000 registrations at the time these referendum petitions were circulated over 22,000 Alamedans signed all three of such petitions.

The salary of the registrar in the county of Alameda is fixed at $3,000 per year, while in the county of Los Angeles, with at least twice the volume of work to be done, the salary is fixed at the ridiculous amount of $24 per year or $2 per month. Santa Clara county fixed at $24 a year, Fresno county at $24 per year.

An analysis of the bill shows that of the fifty-seven counties of the state, exclusive of San Francisco, the salary of the registrar is fixed as follows:

In thirty-six counties each $24 per year.
In one county $76 per year.
In six counties each $100 per year
In two counties each $250 per year.
In two counties each $300 per year.
In one county $360 per year.
In one county $400 per year.
In two counties $500 per year.
In two counties $600 per year.
In one county $700 per year.
In one county $840 per year.
In one county $1,200 per year.
In Alameda county $3,000 per year.

Such glaring inconsistencies are clearly in open violation of the requirements of the state constitution that the "state legislature must regulate the salaries of all county officers in proportion to their duties," and it seems inconceivable that a legislator, whatever his personal malice or grudge, would dare to face the people as the author of such an abortive measure. It would be impossible for him to justify it.

The voters should show their disapproval of such legislation by voting "no" on these three propositions.

A. L. FRICK.

BRIEF EDITORIAL FANCIES SELECTED

American Crops and Automobiles

Europe is confronted with widespread crop failures. But the United States is prepared to make up the deficiencies upon terms that will put a lot more American farmers in the automobile-owning class. — Pasadena Star.

Six Months Without a Coat

"I can't find my coat" remarked J. J. Northmore the other night as he was shivering in his shirt sleeves. "How long since you had it," was asked him. "About six month's as near as I can remember" he remarked. Others may be in this same predicament. Coats are worn little if any here in the summer time and we are not surprised if some of them are not easily found as the cold weather approaches.—Lindsay Gazette.

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A. J. Sharkey, wanted in Covina for beating a board bill, was taken south last night.

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Dressed Plymouth Rock fryers and fat hens on sale. J. S. Bradley's Poultry Market, 150 I street. Phone 367.

Thomas Grieno, Hoe Brunt and Joe Conner were arrested last night by Patrolman Slater on a charge of drunkenness.

Publication of summons was ordered yesterday in the desertion divorce case of Faustin Lassere against Laura Lassere. She is a resident of Leeds in Iowa.

H. P. Wilson, former pastor of the North Side Christian church will preach Sunday morning at the North Side church. He has returned to Fresno and is receiving a warm welcome from his many friends.

Frank Terrell appeared before City Justice Graham yesterday and pleaded not guilty to a charge of battery which was brought against him by John L. Meachan. Terrell was released on bail and the trial will be held next Wednesday.

Mrs. Lucile C. Richards brought suit yesterday through Attorneys Everts and Ewing for a divorce from W. C. Richards. Amended answer was filed in the case of Ada Pearl Cokely against Elmer W. Cokely from Coalinga, involving also property rights of disputed value.

Attorney J. G. Chanessian as administrator of the estate of Egia Ketchebashian was authorized yesterday by Judge Austin to sell the crop from 100 fig trees for $100, 2½ tons of peaches at 4¼ cents a pound and as many tons of Thompsons Seedless raisins for 3½ cents a pound.

Mrs. Mary Maxwell was appointed yesterday by Judge Austin under $5500 bond special administratrix of the estate of her husband, the late Z. T. Maxwell. The special letters are to protect the estate's asset in the contract for the reconstruction of the fire damaged building at K and Mariposa streets.

Publication of summons was ordered by Judge Austin yesterday in the divorce of John P. Bradley against Carrie M. Bradley. She was last heard from at St. Louis, Mo., in November, 1911, when she advised her daughter, Lucy A. R. Bradley of Oleander, of her address. Bradley says he has never had word from the wife since his desertion of him.

Mrs. Bertha Mason, formerly Pfister, made petition yesterday as guardian of John W. and Emma L. Pfister to lend out $2200 of their money from the estate of their father, John Pfister, who was her first husband. The money is drawing 4 per cent interest and she says she has an offer of 7½ for 3 years on real estate mortgage security valued at $7000.

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All work on the state highway, from General Grant Park into the Kings river canyon via Hume, has ended practically for the season under the state appropriation of $25,000 made for the years 1911-12. Contractor J. E. Mitchell called in his road construction gang last Wednesday, leaving in the field State Engineer McClure with a crew surveying out a change in route by which it is said $20,000 will be saved in road construction.

This season, reports Contractor Mitchell, five and a half miles of road were built beyond Hume, a wooden bridge erected across Ten Mile creek over the Hume-Bennett Lumber Company's dam, the constructed road maintained and repaired after the winter's snow and spring rains and $2,000 left over to cover the cost of surveying the changed route.

The state highway is completed to a point five and a half miles beyond Hume with seven and a half miles yet to build to the Kings river and then following that stream eleven miles to the canyon proper. Following the original survey of former State Engineer Ellery, the highway nowhere exceeds a grade of 6 per cent. It was mindful of this fact that this grade was maintained also on the Sand Creek road, which it is proposed to connect with the state highway via General Grant National Park.

The original survey beyond the present ending of the constructed road called for a route cut out of a rocky cliff. The change to be made by the survey is to run the highway on the upper edge of the cliff where the road construction will be in loose and shale rock instead of the solid rock cliff formation. The difference in the cost of working in the two formations will be as much as the figure stated. The wooden bridge across dammed-up Ten Mile creek forming the lake at Hume for the floating of logs to the saw mill is 700 feet long and 10 feet wide, using the dam and logging railroad piers to support the bridge.

Contractor Mitchell says that the effort will be tried at the coming session of the legislature and recommendation made for an appropriation of approximately $100,000 to complete the highway into the canyon before the exposition year in 1915. For sentimental reasons it is urged that this would be a most auspicious time for opening this easy mountain road to one of the grandest scenic spots in the world.

FAIRWEATHER GOES AS COUNTY DELEGATE

Supervisors Desire to Have F. H. Short Present at Irrigation Congress

John Fairweather was named yesterday as the county's representative at the national irrigation congress, to be held in Nevada next month. The supervisors chose him because he has served in that capacity on various occasions before and because as Supervisor Martin state, "John never loses a chance to advertise Fresno." Chairman Jorgensen was solicitous that Frank H. Short should be one of the representatives, stating that the governor had always appointed him for California, but doubting whether he would be similarly honored this year by Governor Johnson. The chairman's peace of mind was restored when Supervisor Johnson assured him that even if the governor overlooked him, the Chamber of Commerce would not. With this understanding Fairweather was named by the board and Jorgensen withdrew his suggestion that the board name Short and that Fairweather take his chances at the hands of the governor or the chamber.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Judge Church is expected home today or tomorrow. Earlier in the week he held court in San Francisco, proceeding then to Los Angeles to close cases in the trial of which he participated during the court term.

Public Administrator Andrews was granted special letters yesterday by Judge Austin to administer the estate of Miriam K. Tuthill. The heirs delayed for more than two months after their mother's death before taking any action to preserve the estate. When they did a few days ago, two of the sons presented rival petitions for letters and now are contesting as to who has the legal right to them.

L. B. Haynhurst was discharged yesterday by Judge Austin as commissioner in the suit of R. E. L. Good against C. A. Telfer as trustee to sell property under foreclosure of mortgage. The suit grew out of the bankruptcy of Millman William McKinzie whom Good financed to take up lumber sawing contracts at Millwood with the Hume-Bennett Lumber company. Haynhurst's bondsmen were released on his settlement for $13,570 as net proceeds on the foreclosure sale for $13,500.

PERSONAL MENTION

A. S. Cleary of Fresno is in San Francisco, registered at Hotel Manx.

Harry A. Greeley of this city will leave in the morning to accept a position with the engineers of Big Creek, where the Pacific Light and Power company of Los Angeles is putting in a mammoth power project.

BORN

ATWOOD—In Fresno, 2144 Tulare street, September 12, 1912, to the wife of Percy E. Atwood, a daughter.

MAZZEI—In Fresno, 1223 B street, September 10, 1912 to the wife of Roy Mazzei, a daughter.

IN THE LODGE ROOM

DEGREE OF HONOR

A meeting of Martha Lodge, D. of H., was held yesterday afternoon and arrangements made for a series of entertainments during the fall months. All members are requested to be present at the next meeting to be held Friday next. Refreshments were served by Mesdames Hills and Faber.

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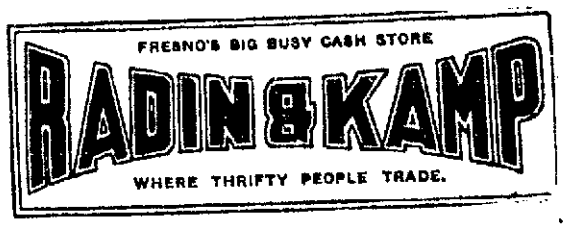

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Rose Water and Glycerine, 15c bottle at ....10¢
Java Rice Powder, 50c size, special at ....33¢
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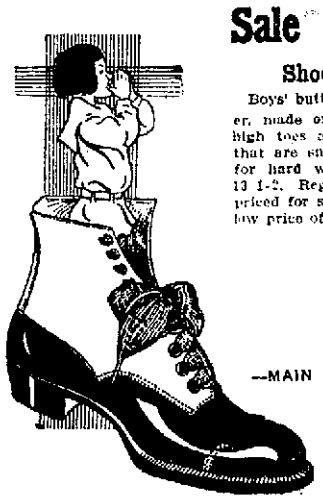

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Shoes for Girls $1.45

Misses' button shoes, latest short vamp models with high toes finished with patent leather tips, school heels. Solid leather throughout, will give remarkable service. Sizes 11 1-2 to 2. Regular $2.00 values, special for school outfitting day at, per pair....$1.45

Boys' Shoes $1.89

Boys' Box Calf Button Shoes; made on swing lasts with high toes and extension soles; all solid leather; sizes 1 to 5 1-2; regular $2.50 values. Special today at, per pair $1.89

Children's Shoes 95c

Children's Button Shoes; made with vici kid uppers; spring heels and extension soles; solid leather throughout; sizes 5 to 8; regular $1.50 values, special today at, per pair ....95¢

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Children's Button Shoes 49c

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These suits are in all wool serges, cheviots, tweeds and cassimeres, in fancy mixed gray, tan and brown patterns and black diagonal weaves. Double breasted, sailor blouse, Russian and military styles. Many with two pairs of knickerbocker trousers. Sizes for boys 2 1-2 to 18 years of age; $4.50 values $3.50

Suits at $10

Made with full box coat and full peg trousers, or with semi-English coat and semi-peg trousers. A fine assortment of tans, purple shades and browns in all wool cheviots and cassimeres to select from; also all wool serge with two pairs of pants; worth $12.50. Special at $10.00

Girls' School Clothes

Here are the features of Radin & Kamp school clothes for girls. Every garment is superb in workmanship and is guaranteed to fit perfectly. Made in strictly hygienic factories regularly inspected by the consumers' league. Our assortments cover the widest variety of choice patterns in washable materials, there being over 100 different models. And by selling for cash we can make prices sensationally low. Outfit the girls for school here today and save money.

$6 Norfolk Dresses $4.75

These dresses are made of black and white check materials in high neck style with full length sleeves. Full plaited skirts. Effectively trimmed with broadcloth with a finish of fancy buttons. Sizes 6 to 14 years. $6 values, at $4.75

Girls' $2 Dresses at $1.25

Girls' Scotch plaid dresses neatly trimmed. Also some pretty models in excellent wash materials. High neck and long sleeves, full plaited skirts. Sizes 6 to 14 years. $3 values, at $1.25

Girls' $1.50 Dresses at 98c

Girls' school dresses in plain and neat figured percale material. Sizes 6 to 14 years. $1.50 values, special at ....98¢

School Dresses at $1.75

Girls' school dresses of fine quality galatea; trimmed with plain and two tone stripes; full plaited skirts; colors navy, cadet and tan; sizes 6 to 14 years. Splendid values at $1.75

Smart Dresses at $2.00

Girls' school dresses of Hydegrade stripe galatea; neatly trimmed with plain galatea, braid and pearl buttons; full plaited skirts; good fast colorings; sizes 6 to 14 years. Our cash selling prices for these dainty dresses $2.00

Girls' Dresses at $2.25

Girls' school dresses of Hyde's galatea; ten exclusive styles; every one neatly and prettily made and attractively trimmed. Worth much more than our special price of $2.25

SECOND FLOOR.

School Hose

25c Hose 14c

Children's fine maco cotton school hose; fast black and seamless; medium and heavy weight; all sizes; 25c hose specially priced at, per pair ....14¢

Hose at 25c

"Wayne Knit" school hose; the very best wearing school hose made; in light, medium and heavy weights; fast black; all sizes. Pair ....25¢

Handkerchiefs 3c

Children's school handkerchiefs; plain or crossbar; 5c kind at ..3¢

Hair Goods

$5 Hair Puffs $3.48

Cluster puffs in all shades; made of real hair; large crescent shape; regular $5.00 grade; special in the Hair Goods Section, on the second floor, at $3.48

$5 Switches $3.50

Fine quality 3 stem and 3 strand hair switches, in all colors; worth $5 each. On sale at the reduced price of $3.50

Boys' School Hats

Boys' school hats in all the new shapes for fall, telescopes, Dents, Fedoras, etc.; all colors and all sizes; worth $1.25 and $1.50; for school outfitting at $1.00

Children's Hats at 59c

Children's corduroy hats, in tan and brown; blue dome crowns and mushroom brims; leather sweat bands. Special today for only ....59¢

Children's Cloth Hats 59c

These are in all colors, brown, gray, red; mushroom brims; trimmed with fancy bands; leather sweat bands. Nobby school hats and extra special values at today's price of 59¢

Children's Hats 50c

Children's cloth hats in the new Westport shapes, with mushroom brims; in all colors and all sizes. Special at ....50¢

Men's Hats $2.00

Men's velvet hats; new novelty hats to be worn either fedora or telescope; in black or brown; stitched edge $2.00

Wash Goods and Bedding

Tennis Flannel 10c

In new check, stripe and plain effects for fall; very fleecy; yard ....10¢

Kimono Flannel 15c

Fleeced velours of extra fine quality, in new novelty designs and shades; 27 inches wide; yard ....15¢

Poplin 30c

Fancy silk stripe poplin, the newest fall wash fabric; latest shades; 29 inches wide; pure silk stripe; yard ....30¢

Gingham 6 1-2c

Apron ginghams in broken and plain checks, in blues, green and brown; 27 inches wide; fast colors. Special at, yard ....6 1-2¢

Comforts at $1.50

Covered with fancy silkoline; stitched and tufted; size 72x78 for double bed; in beautiful patterns; special values at $1.50

Comforts at $2.50

Covered with fancy chintz, in light, medium and dark colors; filled with pure white cotton; size 72x78; extra heavy quality; great values at $2.50

Cotton Blankets $1.00

In tans, blues, gray and white, with colored borders; also white without borders; size 60x80. Special at $1.00

Plaid Blankets $1.90

Wool finish plaid blankets; large size—64x80—for double bed; in tan, blue, brown and gray plaid effects $1.90

—Main Floor.

$1.25 All Wool Diagonal, $1.00 Yard

This all wool diagonal is one of the new season's most fashionable fabrics and the chance to buy it 25c under value should be largely appreciated. We shall show it today in black, navy and wine; 44 inches wide. Regular $1.25 grade, special at, a yard $1.00

$1 Black Messaline 69c

Black messaline, pure silk and best dye; splendid rich lustre; 36 inches wide. Regular $1.00 quality, special today at, per yard ....69¢

Mercerized Sateen 15c

Extra heavy mercerized sateen for skirts, bloomers, linings, etc.; 36 inches wide; in black only. At the lining counter today at, per yard ....15¢

Basement Items

BEST LAUNDRY SOAP, 10 bars for ....25¢
8 BARS SILK SOAP for ....25¢
8 BARS VALLEY QUEEN SOAP for ....25¢
6 BARS 20 MULE TEAM BORAX SOAP today ....25¢
6 PACKAGES PEARLINE for 25¢
3 PACKAGES BORAX CHIPS for ....25¢
3 PACKAGES BORAXAID for 25¢
2 CANS OLD DUTCH CLEANSER for ....15¢
1 PACKAGE GOLD DUST, 3 lbs. ....22¢
4 ROLLS TOILET PAPER, 1000 sheets to roll ....25¢
10c BOTTLE BLUEING ....5¢
10c BOTTLE AMMONIA ....5¢
JELLY GLASSES, with tin covers, dozen ....25¢
FOLDING IRONING BOARDS; $1.50 value $1.19
PRINCESS CAKE MOLDS; 12 assorted in box; worth regularly 35c per dozen; today ....15¢
CURTAIN STRETCHER; nickel plated pins; size 6x12 feet; fits any size curtain; $1.50 value; special at $1.19

Extra Specials

Nail Scrubs 10c

Excellent quality nail brushes; solid back; real bristles; 12 styles; worth 25c each; special at ..10¢

$1 Vanity Boxes 79c

Vanity boxes and coin purses; in good quality German silver; plain, oxidized and gun metal effects; several styles; worth $1.00 each; on special sale at ....79¢

$2 Kid Gloves $1.50

Women's 2 clasp, real kid Monogram gloves; in black, white and all colors; all sizes; gloves positively worth $2 a pair; special at $1.50

$1.50 Night Gowns 98c

Women's gowns, made of splendid quality material; lace and embroidery trimmed; 20 styles to select from; excellent $1.50 values; specially priced at ....98¢

Wool Yarns

Shetland Floss, skein 10¢; per lb. 12 skeins $1.10
Germantown, skein 12 1-2¢; per lb. 16 skeins $2.00
Eiderdown Wool, skein 15¢; per lb. 6 skeins ....90¢

The New Autumn Hats

The new hats that we are showing for the new season are indeed beautiful. It is little wonder our millinery section is winning new laurels. It has brought here just the hats Fresno women want, and it has priced these charming new creations at unprecedented low prices. There is a wonderful array of new models to be seen. All the new shapes and colors that are being sought are here. Velvet, moire silk and fine felt shapes are here in unmatched variety. Trimmed with fancy ostrich feathers, silk laces, ribbons and ornaments. It is the finest and most attractive display of new millinery in the city.

Men, Come and See Our $15 Fall Suits Today

Extra Pair of Trousers With Each Suit

Men, before you part with a nickel of your clothing money, come and take a look at our new $15 suits for fall. These new suits are in a class by themselves, actual $20 suits, but by purchasing them in enormous quantities, and by reason of our cash selling system which allows us to mark our goods on a close profit margin, we can price these high grade autumn suits at $15, and, still more, WE CAN GIVE YOU AN EXTRA PAIR OF TROUSERS WITH THE SUITS YOU BUY.

Hundreds of these new suits are here now in the snappy, handsome new styles. Made of all wool fabrics in browns, tans, grays and blues. Hand tailored throughout. Sizes to fit men of all builds. $20 suits with an extra pair of trousers to make them give double service, here for only $15

Men's High Class $30 and $35 Fall Suits $25

SOCIETY

A pretty romance which had its origin in Fresno will be culminated in Kansas City, Mo., next Wednesday, when Miss Lillian Winning will become the bride of Frank Below of this city. Miss Winning came to Fresno last fall to visit her brother, J. T. Winning, and remained until the spring before returning to her Eastern home. Miss Winning is a decidedly attractive girl of a brunette type, and the numerous friends which she acquired while in Fresno are delighted that her marriage will bring her back to Fresno. Mr. Below left on Thursday for Kansas City. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride and the wedding guests will include the relatives and girl friends of Miss Winning.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Shreve have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Burgner of Alameda, who have been spending the week at the Shreve's suburban home east of town. Mr. and Mrs. Burgner will return to their home in the coast town today.

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Mrs. H. C. Tupper and daughters, Misses Helen and Anne, with Lewis and Sidney Tupper, are expected to arrive home today, after a summer's outing in San Francisco.

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The friends of Miss Sallie Cortner of Hanford will be glad to know that she is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at the Burnett sanitarium.

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"President's Day" was celebrated yesterday by the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church in the parlors of the church, marking the first social affair of the fall season, one of the pleasantest in church annals. Mrs. C. S. Nicewonger, as president of the Aid, was assisted in receiving the guests by the presidents of the various circles into which the entire membership is divided. They are Mesdames H. A. Momsen, W. T. Barr, Franklin Prescott, James Anderson, J. R. Webb, Dwight Trowbridge. Mrs. R. A. Wealth of pink roses, Shasta daisies and fernery elaborated the setting and a pleasing innovation in the affair was the absolute lack of any planned entertainment. A sort of "get-together" party was the nature of the affair, and the ladies were all exuberant over the year's outlook, and refreshed by their summer's vacation.

Tempting refreshments were dispensed in the dining room which was artistically dressed with the same fragrant blossoms.

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Miss Corn McDaniels arrived in San Francisco on the Nippon Maru early in the week, after an exciting summer hunting big game on the frontier of Afghanistan while visiting her uncle, who is an officer in a British regiment stationed there. An interview with the youthful huntress in the San Francisco Examiner included the following paragraphs:

As a feminine Nimrod, bagging big game, Miss McDaniels is entitled to the honors, say those who crossed the Pacific on the same boat. As part of her entertainment during her stay at her uncle's station on the Indian border, a tiger-hunting expedition was arranged, in company with several British army officers, including her uncle, Miss McDaniels went out into the wilds and brought down a tiger. While the expedition was out, a band of revolting natives threatened the out-of-the-way army post, and the officers returned just in time to prevent an attack.

"I've traveled a good many thousand miles," said Miss McDaniels, "and of course saw many strange sights. Yes, we went big game hunting, but I was not afraid, as my uncle was there, and we also had the protection of some army officers who take the shooting of tigers and other wild animals as a matter of course."

Miss McDaniels returned to Fresno yesterday.

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Miss Lieuana Gilbert will come up from Visalia today to enter the Fresno Normal school. She will spend the winter in Fresno as a member of the J. A. Ambrose household.

Miss Pearl Small is expected to return from Iola, Kansas, today, where she has been spending the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hotaling entertained the members of the board of directors of the First Christian church and their wives last night at their suburban home, at the initial meeting of the season. Some fifteen machines assembled at the church early in the evening, and from there the party proceeded to the country, where the early part of the evening was devoted to attending to the business of the church, and the plans of the board for the winter. A social hour of pleasant informality concluded the evening, during which refreshments were served.

Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Breeden, Rev. and Mrs. Shirley Shaw and the following board members: Judge M. K. Harris, president of the board; L. O. Stephens, S. J. Gibbs, Leslie Birch and W. H. Minard; W. W. Eden, president of the board of deacons; Ed Jones, F. H. Wakefield, A. M. Loper, Low Ballard, J. J. Duvall, Frank Cruycroft, George Boles, W. M. McDaniels, C. H. Hotaling, M. D. Huffman, Robert Kay, Fred Dunleavy, secretary; Rev. Shirley Shaw, financial secretary; Mrs. M. K. Harris, president of the deaconess board; Mesdames W. W. Eden, L. O. Stephens, Hunt, Ed Jones and Frank Cruycroft.

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Miss Margaret Cory is down from Stanford University for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Cory.

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Mrs. J. B. Haygoonl was the complimented guest at a delightful little afternoon yesterday given by Mrs. Otis Turner and Mrs. C. R. Bonsel at the home of the latter on U street, given as a sort of farewell, as Rev. and Mrs. Haygoonl leave shortly for Southern California to reside. The coming winter, however, they will spend abroad. Delicious punch refreshed the guests while they busied themselves with needlework, and late in the afternoon refreshments were served by Misses Mattie and Miriam Bousel. Among those in the congenial group were Mesdames J. W. Conley, H. D. Carver, William Harvey, Sr., Elmer West, Victor Inhass, T. L. McNeece, S. A. Elbow, F. H. Connelly and E. A. Powell; Misses Mary Hinds, Mary Storer and Frances Harvey.

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A two days' session is being held by the Students' Organization of the Young Women's Christian Association in making plans for the winter's work. Miss Martha Chickering, of Los Angeles, who is doing the territorial work of this newer branch is in Fresno, assisting with the planning. The meeting began yesterday, and will be continued today. The business session was pleasantly broken last evening, when a supper was served in the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria, a long table being prettily adorned with Indian pinks.

The year's prospectus includes some interesting courses that will include lessons in dressmaking, given by Mrs. Alva Blakey, in art stenciling, by Miss Mary Wasson, and also in physical culture, which last department will be presided over by Miss Francis Blakey. Basket ball, hand ball, folk dancing, wand drills, Indian club exercises and other forms of exercise are listed, and are to be doubly advantageous, as the open air gymnasium will be formed on the enclosed lawn by the Y. W. C. A. cottage.

Lectures on the care of the various faculties will be given by prominent physicians, and also on other important topics, by well known speakers. "The care of the Eyes" will be the subject of a talk to be given by Dr. D. H. Trowbridge; "The Care of the Teeth" will be spoken upon by Dr. F. D. Wolfe; "General Health" by graduate nurses; "Dietectics" by Dr. A. B. Cowan; "First Aid to the Injured," by Dr. Floyd L. R. Burks; Mrs. Francis Marvin will give a series of talks on practical subjects, and current events, under which heading come politics, which will be ably handled by local attorneys. A class in millinery is being arranged for. An educational rally will be held some time in October.

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Miss Helen Bagby celebrated her 11th birthday very happily yesterday afternoon, in having a number of friends spend the afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bagby on Washington avenue.

A peanut hunt in which the fortunate ones were rewarded with prizes, and other interesting games were played. The big birthday cake was an attractive feature of the refreshment table, where a color scheme of red and white was prettily carried out.

Among the guests were Francis Pratt, Violet Cotton, Perrie White, Helen White, Mildred White, Bernice Patterson, Maurice Spears, Beth Spears, Merle Gibbons, Treba Gibbons, Helen Bagby, Olive Bagby.

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The members of the Missionary society of the Cumberland Presbyterian church were the hostesses at a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sims on Olive and Forthcamp avenues yesterday afternoon, the other ladies of the congregation being the invited guests. Roses made the living rooms fragrant and in the dining room where refreshments were served, a lovely combination of red and white dahlias was used. Mrs. Sims was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. J. M. Bramblett. The following program was given during the afternoon:

Devotional—Mrs. J. H. Walker.
"The Unfinished Task," a paper on the plans of the society in Mission Work—Mrs. W. G. Rogers.
Song—Master Bill Berry.
Recitation—Miss Vinetta Rogers.
Song—Master Ernest Bramblett.
Reading—Miss Easter Craven.

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Miss Glen Easton returned yesterday from Pacific Grove where she has been spending the summer.

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Mrs. Will Rowe and children returned on Wednesday from Berkeley, where they have been the guests of Mrs. Rowe's parents during the warm weather.

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Miss Ethel Boyer entertained the members of the young ladies' Mission Circle of the First and North Side Christian churches last evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Jasper on I street.

An election of officers was the principal feature of the meeting which resulted as follows:

President—Miss Pearl Small.
Vice President—Miss Jeanette Minard.
Secretary—Miss Ethel Boyer.
Treasurer—Miss Jessie Bowen.
Chairman of Literature Committee—Miss Lucy Shishmanian.
Chairman of Program Committee—Miss Alice Pember.

New Zealand was the subject for the evening, and various stories concerning the manners and customs of the people were told. Among the members present were: Misses Alice Pember, Mabel Burch, Ethel Boyer, Mabel Margaret and Jeannette Minard, Martha Paterson, Lucy Shishmanian, Eugene Miller, Vera Osbourn, Pearl Small, Ila Elliott, Bertha Cresmer, Essie Wilkenson, Jessie Bowen and Mrs. Frank Minard.

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Julian Greene has returned to Fresno to attend the Normal school, after spending the summer in Hughson, Cal.

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Miss Marguerite Hinds, of Exeter, who has been the guest of Miss Ethel Boyer, will return to her home this morning.

IN THE LODGE ROOM

ODD FELLOWS

Announcement was made at the regular meeting of Fresno Encampment No. 75, I. O. O. F., last night, that the members of the Visalia and Selma Encampments would be present as visitors next Friday night. The members of the Visalia Encampment were to have been present last night but postponed the visit because of the appearance of the circus in Visalia. The patriarchal degree will be put on next Friday night.

The Encampment received four applications for membership, two by initiation and two by card. H. Aaronsburg was elected delegate to the grand encampment, which meets in Sonora on the first of October.

MERCHANTS PLAN MORE EXCURSIONS

The entertainment committee of the Fresno Merchants' Association, met for the first time since the summer vacations, yesterday afternoon and outlined in a general way, plans for the balance of the year.

Among other things it was decided to resume boosting trips, but the date of the first one will not be set until after the first monthly meeting of the members of the association on October 8.

The matter of inviting the state electrical contractors to hold their annual convention in Fresno, was referred to the Chamber of Commerce and action will probably be taken by the directors of that body at their next meeting, following the state fair.

REGISTRATION IN CITY NOW 7,334

Increase of 500 Since May Primary; Parties Show No Weakening

Approximately 400 voters were registered in the city of Fresno between the presidential primary last May and the general state primary the 3rd of this month. Less than three months was given for registrations. The total registration for the general state primary was 7,882 as against 7,334 for the state primary, or an increase of 548.

The increase in Republican registrations in this period, between the primaries, amounted to 241 while the increase in Democratic registrations amounted to 259. The Socialists showed an increase of 22 in this period and the Prohibitionists showed an increase of 7. Nineteen of the voters to qualify, refused to state their political affiliations.

The following shows the strength of the different political organizations in this city, at the time the register closed for the state primary as compared with the strength at the presidential primary:

	Presidential	State
Republican	4,471	4,712
Democrats	2,266	2,525
Socialists	33	352
Prohibitionists	51	58
Non-Affiliated	245	242

It is probable that the total registration of the city for the general election in November will be well over the 8,000 mark, although it is not believed that the increase in city registrations will match ex ced 500. This will make an increase of more than 1,000 over the presidential primary.

REBELS PUT STOP TO ALL SHIPPING

Rebel interference has put a stop to the shipment of freight between Lomas and Del Rio, Sonora, Mexico, according to information received in this city yesterday. The information came to F. M. Hall, manager of the Fresno Traffic association, in a circular letter from G. W. Luce, freight traffic manager of the Southern Pacific. Luce's letter was as follows:

"The Southern Pacific Railroad company of Mexico advises that owing to insurrecto interference, effective at once and until further notice, they will be unable to handle any class of freight between Lomas and Del Rio, Sonora, Mexico.

"Please be governed accordingly."

[illegible] was arrested last night by the [illegible] Jones and cited to appear in police court this morning to answer to a charge of exceeding the speed limit.

GIFFEN-HOBBS CO. MAKES LOW SALES

Phoenix Tries Old Trick to Keep Price of Muscat Raisins Down

Further evidence of low conditions in the East and efforts to secure a lower price for raisins on the Coast has been made evident here in the past two or three days. Contrasted with these efforts are reports of higher offers for new raisins.

The Giffen-Hobbs company sold peaches in Memphis, Tenn., at 4¾ cents and sold two crown London layers at 90 cents and three crown London layers at 95 cents. These prices are on a sweat-box basis, far below what is now being freely offered by packers. The Giffen-Hobbs company made a bid for all of the business on this particular order, at this figure, but part of it was given to another packer.

In order to buy without loss, the Giffen-Hobbs company has found it absolutely necessary to pound the local raisin market as hard as it possibly can, and protect itself on its sales in the East, made on a basis less than the actual cost of production.

Another report was received yesterday of a method that is being used by certain packers to keep the price down. The method is not a new one, although others have worked the scheme along different lines.

A Japanese grower went to Guggenhime & Co. and offered to sell some Muscats and Feherazgoes. He was given a price of 2¾ cents for his Muscats and 1¾ cents for his Feherazgoes. Not satisfied he went to the Phoenix and sold Pratt giving him 2 cents for his Feherazgoes and 2½ for his Muscats, according to the information secured. Although the gross amount of money he received was $5 a ton more than was offered him by Guggenhime, boasts were made that raisins could be bought for 2½ cents. The actual cost of the Muscats was about 2¾ cents, as growers have been receiving 2 cents for Feherazgoes.

George Schrolling was offered 3 cents for his raw Muscats by Charles Banner, personally, according to information given out yesterday.

In the past when packers wished to keep the actual figure on raisins or other dried fruits down, they would pay a low price on a contract, and then make a second contract, allowing the grower the difference between the price of the first contract and the market price "for hauling."

BANK CLEARINGS FOR LAST WEEK

Bank clearings as reported to the California Development Board by the several clearing house cities, for the week ending September 12:

San Francisco	$53,225,900.31
Los Angeles	21,495,583.00
Oakland	2,647,550.00
Sacramento	1,865,553.00
San Diego	9,557,664.00
Fresno	1,117,223.00
Stockton	1,356,500.00
San Jose	775,500.00
Pasadena	1,301,211.00
Bakersfield	416,567.00

Mrs. Delia Aubin, aged 27 years, and the wife of Adolph Aubin, died last night at the family home two miles west of Fowler. The body was taken in charge by Stephens & Boan and the funeral will be announced later.

Einstein's

New White Felt Hats $2.95

Ink Blue Serge Suits $18.50

Norfork and—Tailor Models

We announce for today—a special sale of new fall serge suits—Plain tailored models—and smart Norfork effects. All are well made, all guaranteed to hold. Alterations are free—

Crystall Cords $1.25

Plain and Two Tones

One of the season's—most popular effects—

Two toned shades of—blue and black—majenta and brown—brown and white—navy and green—black and white—Copen and white—solid shades of brown—navy—white and black—

Especially adapted for dresses, waists and trimmings—

Utility Amoskeag Gingham, 9c

The staple Amoskeag—quality—known the world over for its wearing qualities—just the thing for school dresses—sold in most stores at 12 1-2c—27 inches wide—fast colors—both dark and light in a pretty assortment of patterns.

$2.95 Messaline Silk Petticoats $1.95

On special sale today—Made of soft messaline silk—with deep flounce—very effective and pretty—colors—green—champagne—red—navy and Copenhagen—etc.—As well as two tone changeable effects—this is a value that should appeal to all.

15c Scotch Gingham 13c

Our celebrated Ivanhoe zephyrs—of which we are the exclusive agents—all are 32 inches wide—they are shown in a good assortment of plaids, stripes and checks—light and dark—fast colors—every yard is imported.

25c Imported Scotch Zephyr, 21c

Absolutely the best gingham—on the market—every yard is specially imported—pretty patterns—checks—plaids—stripes, etc., as well as dainty bordered effects—32 inches wide, and both dark and light effects.

FRESNO FASHION SHOW FALL 1912. SEPT. 23-24.

12½c A. F. C. Gingham 11c

The real A. F. C. gingham—that we always sold at 12 1-2c—a full assortment of new patterns and designs—both light and dark effects—27 inches wide—all guaranteed to be fast colors.

Salinas Potatoes

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Those Fine White Cookers

Per Sack - $1.80 cwt.

Broken lots - 2c per lb.

A 12 lb. bag for - 25c

Try Baked and Mashed Potatoes for a Real Treat

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Don't Wait

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MANY MORE WILL ENTER MONDAY. Be one of them.

If your training is good for another's business, it is good for your own.

REGULAR TUITION RATES

One month	$15.00
Three months	$40.00
Six months	$75.00
One year	$125.00

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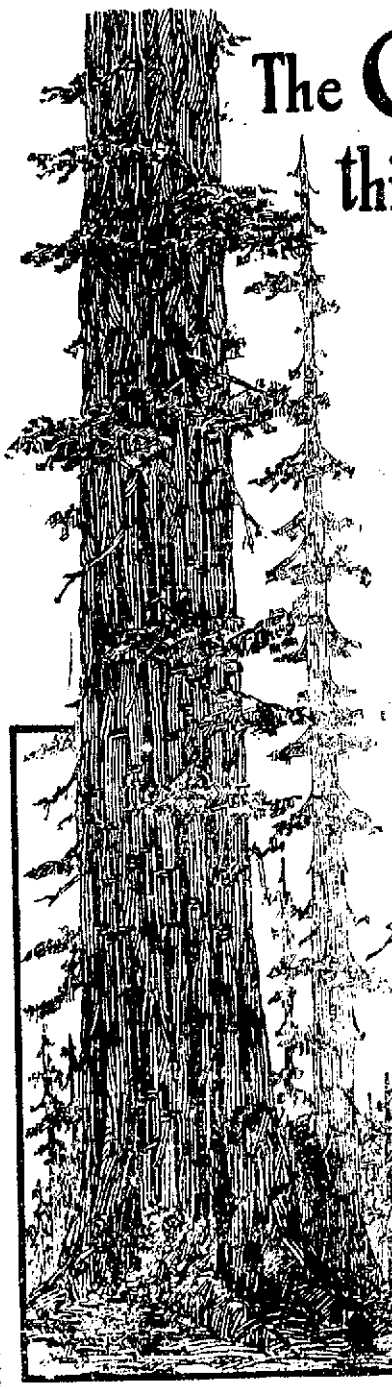

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And to San Francisco belongs the distinction of having the oldest and largest cocoa factory in the West. Since it was first put on the market

Ghirardelli's Cocoa

has enjoyed a popularity that has never waned. Its uniform goodness is the delight of housekeepers all over the country. It is very economical, costing less than a cent a cup. If you've never tried it, make a start by serving it for breakfast tomorrow.

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With the appearance of this series of "Interesting Information" will no doubt come the query, "Where's the connection?" There isn't any. We are simply adopting this form of advertising in the hope that in addition to calling attention to our product, it will be a source of interest to all who read it.

TOM SEAWARD OPENS FIGHT TO UNSEAT LAMOREUX

District Organizer Returns to Labor Council and Attacks Rival

Sends Telegram to Gompers Asking for Ruling on Editor's Position

To Samuel Gompers,
President American Federation of Labor,
Washington, D. C.

Lamoreux holds position of secretary Fresno Labor Council. Is affiliated with Laborers' Protective Union, Springfield, Ill. Shall we demand transfer charter for United Laborers?

T. C. SEAWARD.

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The foregoing telegram was sent last night, following the weekly meeting of the Fresno Labor Council. Seaward was not recognized officially at the meeting, though he launched a campaign on his own hook against the position of F. P. Lamoreux, secretary and business agent of the council and editor of the Labor News. At the opening of the session, Seaward gained the floor and before he could be ordered to sit down, he challenged Lamoreux's right to hold an office in the council. He admitted that the fact that Lamoreux is editor of the Labor News gives him a right to sit in the council sessions and have a voice in the proceedings.

However, Seaward alleged that the editor has no right to hold an office. This challenge resulted in a motion to have Lamoreux produce his credentials at the weekly meeting next Friday night. Lamoreux declared in defense that he was a member of a union in Springfield, Ill., his former home, but had never obtained a transfer card. The editor also holds a responsible position with a local union, but this fact was unknown to Seaward. Lamoreux claims that he has the right to hold office in the council and declares he will prove it at the next meeting. Seaward is not a delegate to the council.

The telegram sent last night to Gompers is the opening gun in a fight that will be made to unseat Lamoreux by Seaward. Lamoreux was recently elected to the council as a delegate to the San Diego convention of the State Federation of Labor which meets about the middle of next month. Friends of the editor have started a boom to elect him vice president of the state federation from the second district to succeed Seaward, who is now serving his second term of office.

Fresno is in the second district and most of the local unions that have already elected delegates to the San Diego convention have instructed their representatives to vote for Lamoreux in preference to Seaward, who is a candidate for re-election. The delegates chosen to date are Lamoreux and W. Baker from the Labor Council, McKnight and Greenwood from the Building Trades' and Games from the Bartenders' Union. Other elections in the various locals are to be held shortly.

PRESENTS CREDENTIALS

Seaward appeared last night with his credentials from the American Federation of Labor, dated March 21, 1912, and signed by Samuel Gompers, president. He asked that President Baker read the credentials to the delegates and the request was granted. Then he asked that the paper be placed on file and recorded in the minutes of the meeting. This was done by Secretary Lamoreux but later Seaward asked for the return of the credentials and they were given to him. Seaward stated after the meeting that the controversy was a personal fight between he and Lamoreux over the right of the editor to hold an office in the council.

VIOLATES 8-HOUR LAW

A miner, who gave his name as Evans, appeared in the hall toward the end of the meeting and asked the council to endorse his appeal to the state labor commission to have the state take action against the Stone and Webster construction company for alleged violation of the eight-hour law. Evans declared that the company is working its employes from nine to twelve hours under the ground in the building of tunnels and cuts for the Pig Creek railroad. He admitted that the men were receiving good pay for overtime and he was taking the matter up as an individual. He also admitted that the men are not united in the appeal. Evans wants the company prosecuted for working the men more than eight hours and declared the Western Federation of Miners will finance any appeal that is made.

The same man appeared before the Building Trades' Council Monday night and secured the endorsement of that body. He wanted the council to send men to the mountains to investigate his charges but the delegates informed him that the central body has insufficient funds to finance such an investigation. Last night, Evans was turned over to T. C. Seaward, who will take up the appeal with the state labor commission today.

SEAWARD TAKES CHARGE

Seaward declared the commission would send a man to Fresno to probe the charges, notwithstanding statements made by delegates that they had read in San Francisco papers that the commission is short of funds for making inquiries. Seaward claims to represent the commission. His credentials from the American Federation of Labor announce that he has been appointed to the position of district organizer and label agent for Fresno city and vicinity. The position carries no salary, though Seaward is paid by the state federation of labor while engaged in organizing new unions.

VERBAL CLASHES ON FLOOR

The regular routine order of business was enlivened by verbal clashes on the floor and at times the controversies became heated, giving President Baker considerable trouble in restoring order. Members of the Cooks and Waiters' Union preferred verbal charges against the Labor Day committee and Business Agent Swigert of the Retail Clerks sided in with the plaintiffs.

Several members of the Labor Day committee were present and they replied to the charges, asking the Cooks and Waiters to file their complaint in writing. It was alleged by Charles Gray of the complaining local that union men who had been hired to work at the Labor Day barbecue at Recreation Park were underpaid. Other members of the same union and also delegates from the Retail Clerks charged the committee with having purchased supplies for the barbecue from two local stores where both union and non-union clerks are employed.

NO UNION BUTTONS

It was stated that the committee had failed to ask the clerks if they wore union buttons. No formal action was taken, all of the charges being made verbally during the meeting. By almost unanimous vote of the council, the committee was given further time in which to prepare and render its report on Labor Day funds. The committee will meet Sunday to discuss bills.

In regard to his personal fight against Lamoreux's position in the council, Seaward said he was taking it up as an individual and not as a representative of the Cooks and Waiters' Union. For that local, he stated, Charley Gray and C. C. Lewis had not been paid for their services at the Labor Day barbecue. Gray was steward and hired all the waiters, who were paid at Recreation Park the same day or a few hours later in the city. Gray and Lewis put in a bill of $10 each for their services but later reduced the amount to $9.50. The bills were held up by Secretary Lamoreux as exorbitant pending a meeting of the general committee. The bill was also held up by T. C. Vickers, chairman of the Labor Day committee. Vickers was in Madera last night.

NON-UNION COOK

Gray, Lewis and Seaward accused the committee of employing a non-union cook to prepare the Labor Day barbecue, but this charge was not pressed at the meeting last night. Gray and Lewis declared the committee had refused to pay the regular scale of wages of the Cooks and Waiters' Union. This scale for picnics, barbecues or banquets is $1 an hour, with $1 extra for overtime.

COWELL GIVES ADDRESS

A. L. Cowell, editor of the Modesto News, attended the meeting and delivered an interesting address, giving figures and other data on the constitutional amendment, known as Senate Amendment No. 3, introduced in the senate by Senator Curtin and in the assembly by Thomas F. Griffen of Modesto. Griffen is known as the father of the state eight hour law. The amendment relates to the sale of bonds issued by an irrigation district and Cowell represents the Turlock district. The council voted to appoint a committee to investigate the matter. President Baker appointed F. P. Lamoreux, H. M. Rodrigues and Paul Soule.

The following new delegates were obligated and seated by the council:

V. Barker and R. F. Baird, with L. Collins as alternate, from the Electrical Workers, No. 169.

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COAST LEAGUE STARS TO VISIT AUSTRALIA

Cal Ewing Plans to Play Games at Honolulu in Winter

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—A baseball team to be composed largely of Pacific Coast league players, with the addition of a few major league stars, probably will make a tour of Australia next winter, if the plans of J. Cal Ewing and W. J. C. Kelley of Sydney, who is also the head of the Australian baseball managers, besides being the representative of Hugh McIntosh and the other fight promoters of Australia, materialize. It is planned to take 17 of the best known players, who will consent to make the trip, including two extra pitchers and catchers, who are to be loaned to the Australian clubs in the games. The promoters of the idea intend to sail from San Francisco November 18 and return January 11 games to be played also at Honolulu.

J. M. Dodson was arrested last night by Chief of Police Jones and cited to appear in police court this morning to answer to a charge of exceeding the speed limit.

BEERS ELECTED CHIEF OF G. A. R.

Auxiliary Organizations Also Select Their Officers for Year

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—The forty-sixth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic was brought to an official close here tonight with the election of officers by that and auxiliary organizations.

The only official act not completed was the choice of the place at which the next convention of the veterans will be held. The executive council will make a selection later. The auxiliary organizations will hold their next meetings at the place selected by the veterans.

The new officers follow:

Grand Army of the Republic—Commander in Chief, Judge Alfred B. Beers, Bridgeport, Conn.; Senior Vice Commander, Henry Z. Osborne, Los Angeles; Junior Vice Commander, Americus Wheaton, Louisville, Ky.; Chaplain, George Edwards Lovejoy, Lawrence, Mass.; medical director, Dr. W. J. Whitaker, Dallas, Texas; quartermaster general, Cola D. Stowitz, Buffalo, N. Y., and Adjutant General, Henry J. Seeley, Hartford, Conn.

With the exception of the last two named, who were appointed by the commander-in-chief, the officers were all unanimously elected.

Women's Relief Corps—President, Mrs. Geraldine E. Frisbie, San Mateo, Cal.; Senior Vice President, Mrs. Isabel Worrell Ball, Washington, D. C.; Junior Vice President, Mrs. S. Nevada Hereford, Aberdeen, S. D.; treasurer, Mrs. Abbie Lynch, Pittsburg, Pa.; Chaplain, Mrs. Sara L. Brown, Grand Rapids, Mich.; members of the executive board, Mrs. Clara O'Connor Daly, Butte, Mont.; chairman, Mrs. Frederica Philpot, Dubuque, Iowa; Mrs. Amelia V. Colgan, Hampton, Va.; Mrs. Ellen Ackerman, Ainsworth, Neb.; and Mrs. Annabell Roberts, Baltimore, Md.

The Women's Relief Corps named the retiring president, Mrs. Cora A. Davis, of Union, Ore., as its delegate to the national council of women.

Ladies of the G. A. R.—President, Mrs. Ella S. Jones, Pittsburg, Pa.; Senior Vice President, Mrs. Edith Brown, Pacific Grove; Junior Vice President, Mrs. Mary Ross, Buffalo, N. Y.; Chaplain, Mrs. Martha Gilmore, West Lynn, Mass.; Councillor, Mrs. Catherine Ross, Chicago, Ill.; Council of Administration, Mrs. Maybelle Ross, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Rose Houghton, Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Ethel Irish, Fond du Lac, Wis.

Daughters of Veterans—President, Miss Nina Littlefield, Cambridge, Mass.; secretary, Miss Helen C. Littlefield, Cambridge, Mass.; sister to the president; Senior Vice President, Mrs. May Kidder, Milford, N. H.; Junior Vice President, Miss Lulu Carlin, Chicago, Ill.; Chaplain, Mrs. Agnes Davis, Minneapolis, Minn.; Treasurer, Miss Augusta Snyder, Denver, Colo.; Inspector, Miss Agnes Gilliland, Denver, Colo.; Executive Committee Miss Philippine Schoeman, Buffalo, N. Y.; chairman; Miss Katherine R. A. Flood, Newton, Mass.; Miss Lillian Inman, Pueblo, Colo.; Miss May A. Lawrence, Los Angeles, Cal., and Miss Lizzie Belle Cross, Los Angeles.

Because of the unavoidable absence of its national president, Mrs. May L. Douglas of Concord, N. H., who was prevented from attending the convention because of the serious illness of her husband, and so could not review her work, the National Association of Army Nurses of the Civil War retained its officers for another year. It was necessary, however, to elect an officer, a junior vice president as death had caused that office to be vacated. Mrs. Alice Carey Risley, of Jefferson City, Mo., was chosen for that office. The officers who retain their old positions are:

President, Mrs. May L. Douglas, Concord, N. H.; Senior Vice President, Mrs. Joanna Melton, Salt Lake City, Utah; Secretary, Mrs. Helen B. Cole, Sheboygan Falls, Wis.; Treasurer, Salome M. Stewart, Gettysburg, Pa.; Chaplain, Mrs. Rebecca L. Price, Lancaster, Pa.; Counselor, Mrs. Clissa F. Dye, Germantown, Pa.; Installing officer, Mrs. Fanny T. Hazen, Cambridge, Mass.; Aide and Chief of Staff, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, Wakefield, Mass.; Surgeon, Dr. Nancy M. Hill, Chicago, Ill.; Conductor, Mrs. Elizabeth Chapman, East St. Louis, Ill.; Color Bearer, Mrs. Susannah Krins, Philadelphia, Pa.; Guard, Mrs. Amanda B. Smythe, Carrollton, Ohio; Press Correspondent, Mrs. Mary O. Stevens, Peabody, Mass.

CLARENCE BROOKS FINED $25 BY BAUM

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—President Al Baum of the Pacific Coast league announced today that Umpire Jack McCarthy, who has recovered from recent illness, would report at once for duty, relieving Umpire Phil Knell at Los Angeles. This is taken to mean that Knell will no longer be on the roster of the indicators.

Catcher Brooks of the Los Angeles club, who was suspended for his attack on Umpire Knell recently, has been reinstated, but must pay a fine of $25. The same fine was imposed on Manager Frank Dillon of the same club.

GLASS GIVEN PERMISSION TO GO TO ISLANDS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Louis Glass, formerly vice president and general manager of the Pacific Telegraph and Telephone Company and the only defendant in the Ruef graft cases over whom an indictment still hangs, received permission from Judge Lawlor today to leave the jurisdiction of the Superior Court for four months. He has business in Hawaii and his case was continued until his return.

GOOD SWIMMER DROWNS

STOCKTON, Sept. 13.—Frank Shepherd, a bookkeeper, aged 23 years, is believed to have been drowned tonight when a launch in which he and a party of friends were pleasure seeking collided with another river craft in the San Joaquin river three miles from this city. Both of the craft sank within two minutes. Shepherd was heard to cry out for help though a good swimmer. Others of the party reached the bank. A search along both banks has failed to locate the missing man.

PASSENGER AGENTS ADJOURN

SEATTLE, Sept. 13.—The American Association of General Passenger Agents concluded its annual convention at noon and the members spent the afternoon in sightseeing. Tomorrow morning the members expect to embark on a steamship for a cruise in Puget Sound and British Columbia waters.

DR. DAY DRIVEN FROM SEMINARY

Forced to Resign by Increasing Conservatism of the Synod

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—After eight years of battling for beliefs too advanced for the Presbyterian Synod of California, Dr. Thomas F. Day, gray professor of Old Testament history and Hebrew at the San Francisco theological seminary, has resigned and is today on his way to Europe.

The fight to oust Dr. Day has lasted several years. He has never receded from his position and his resignation now is merely to forestall removal, annoyance to his friends and embarrassment to the seminary.

At each meeting of the synod the "Day heresy charges," as they came to be known, were a subject of debate. For six years his defense was successful, but the opposition gained strength and two years ago at Fresno the synod instructed the board of directors of the seminary to request his resignation. The board refused to obey. What caused may be told in the words today of Dr. William Rader, pastor of Calvary Presbyterian church, a close friend of Dr. Day, but chairman of a committee which recently waited on him to advise his resignation.

"As fast as the terms of liberal directors of the seminary expired," said Dr. Rader, "their places were filled with conservative directors. At the last meeting of the board, Dr. Day had a majority of but one. It became apparent that, at the next meeting the majority would be on the other side.

"Dr. Day wanted to fight it out. As chairman of a committee of his friends I showed him that he had no chance, and that moreover to pledge his friends to continued support would mean their ultimate elimination from the board of directors, greatly to the embarrassment of the seminary, which needs the support of men of prominence and wealth. He was greatly surprised, but he assented. His friends believe that his resignation will help, not hurt him."

For eighteen years Dr. Day has held his chair. The specific charges brought against him by the synod of 1911 were that he taught:

That God never interrupted the orderly workings of nature.

That accounts of miracles in the Bible are to be so explained that the occurrences may be regarded as having taken place according to known laws of nature, and that if this cannot be done, the accounts are to be regarded as false.

That during the ages before Christ, no one had any idea of the coming of such a savior as the Christ of the New Testament.

That passages in the Old Testament which are regarded as predictions concerning Christ are not really such.

That passages in the New Testament which are regarded as teaching that Christ's life and work were fulfillment of prophecy are either misinterpreted or spurious.

That the stories of Jonah, of the three Hebrews in the furnace and of Daniel in the den of lions, are parables.

Dr. Day denied these charges. "I believe in miracles," he told the synod. "To say that God cannot do what he wills in his own world is less complimentary than to call him an absentee God. He works with the freedom of a sovereign.

"His freedom is not curtailed, but is rather expressed by the orderly workings of nature; but it finds expression in those extraordinary acts of his will and power which we call miraculous."

POLICEMEN GUARD LONDON RESIDENCES

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The lot of the London policeman has been far from enviable lately. The men in blue did strenuous work during the strike, and now extra duty awaits them in guarding householders' property while the owners are on a holiday. Every constable has special instructions to be carried out during the time he is on duty. Secret marks are placed on doors and the least sign that these have been tampered with places the watchful patrol on the alert. As an indication of the enormous strain upon the force, it may be stated that at present the North London men are engaged in specially watching over 4000 private houses which are temporarily vacated.

TO HOLD WHITE SLAVER

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13—In view of the indictments charging conspiracy and violation of the federal white slave laws, found yesterday against Bernice Ward of Seattle now held here on $3,000 bail, the original charges filed against her when she was arrested on August 23 were dismissed today by United States Commissioner Krull.

WYTHEVILLE, Va., Sept. 13.—Victor A. [illegible] of the Allen clansmen to be tried, was acquitted today of the charge of having participated in the Carroll county court house murders at Hillsville last March.

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California Oil Field News

RECORD CO. PLANS TO DRILL WELL AT TAFT

Coalinga Company Invades West Side Field; Will Rig Up at Once

TAFT, Sept. 13.—To offset the excellent No. 2 well of the Mays Oil Company, which is prouding heavily of light oil, the Record Oil Company has contracted to put down its No. 1 well on section 28-31-23. Rig Builder Black will be in charge of the rig building, and is preparing to start action at once. Drilling Contractor Ross will be in charge of the rotary work on the hole.

This will be the first development work of the Record Oil Company on the West Side, although they are known as heavy producers in the Coalinga field. New buildings are being erected on the lease by Fellows carpenters.

SUNSET SECURITY IS IN HARD SAND

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 13.—The Sunset Security Oil Company, which has been drilling for more than a year on section 29, 11-23 is down 3,515 feet and in hard sand with a showing of oil better than ever before. At 3,505 feet the drill pierced a five-foot stratum of sand.

Fruit Pickers' Tally Tags at Republican Job Printing Office.

AUGUST REPORT OF OPERATIONS SHOW GAINS IN OIL FIELD

Figures of R. W. Dallas on Petroleum Production at Coalinga Show Increase; Shipments Also Gain: Reduction Shown in Field Storage

COALINGA, Sept. 13.—The Coalinga field report for the month of August has been completed by R. W. Dallas, local manager of the Independent Producers Agency, and shows a fairly healthy condition of the field, with an increase in production and shipments during the month over the month previous, both months having the same number of days.

The storage in the field was reduced during the month about 75,000 barrels, and the shipments for the month show an increase of more than 42,000 barrels. The increase in production was nearly 10,000 barrels in August over July; 19,700 barrels were shipped out in cars by producing companies; 62,200 barrels were consumed in the field as fuel, and 6,200 barrels were delivered by wagon, etc.

The following tabulated report shows the operations of the field for August, in comparison with July:

	East Side	West Side	South Field	Total Aug.	Total July
Wells sup.	13	24	22	59	58
Wells Drilling	47	29	10	86	85
Wells prod. susp.	26	182	0	208	194
Wells Prod.	317	526	0	843	838
New Rigs	1	0	0	1	3
New Rigs susp.	15	34	9	58	60
Storage	77,555	220,130		297,555	373,274
Shipments	759,607	952,862		1,712,437	1,660,097
Production				1,637,098	1,627,498

INCREASE OF $700 IN POSTAL BUSINESS

MODESTO, Sept. 13.—Postmaster Morris reports that the receipts of the local post office for the month of July, 1912, were $700 greater than those of the corresponding month of last year.

SANTA FE GUSHER IS DOING 2,500 BARRELS

Much Sand Comes Out With Oil; K. T. & O. Spuds in Well at Taft

TAFT, Sept. 13.—The Santa Fe gusher on section 6-32-23 is still doing 2,500 barrels a day. A large amount of sand is being forced out with the oil and is piling up high around the derrick. The well does not spout as high as formerly.

The Kern Trading and Oil Company has just spudded in well No. 15 on section 15-31-22.

DEVELOPMENT WORK IN DESERT FIELDS

KRAMER, Sept. 13.—The Chicago Barstow Oil Company, which is backed by Eastern and California capital, is working two shifts of men on a standard rig and reports from the well are of an encouraging nature. It is hoped to strike oil of a paraffine base by 1,800 feet.

The Kramer Consolidated Oil Company, which is the pioneer company of the desert district, has met with a series of mishaps calculated to discourage the most optimistic of the wild cat prospectors. Three times the drill has penetrated paraffine strata and hope ran riot, then the hoodoo got busy and no substantial results were obtained.

The Kramer Consolidated encountered water trouble which gave rise to most of the delay and much work was done in attempting to shut off the water. The well is down 2,800 feet, but the water trouble began at 1,500-foot level and has delayed operations six months.

The 4½-inch casing now is being pulled at 2,708 feet in the hope of shutting off the under water. The expert now in charge of the work has standardized the rig, installed new apparatus and expects to get results within thirty days. Tests made from the oil in the well which was heavily charged with water, show paraffine base of 38.05 gravity, but in what quantity is not known because of the water trouble.

If the Kramer Consolidated well is brought in, it will doubtless serve to expedite development by other companies, now waiting for results by the pioneer operators. It is known that many thousand acres have been taken over in this district by people who expect at some future date to see the desert transformed into a mass of oil derricks. The government has forestalled some of this by withdrawing thousands of acres in the supposedly desert oil belt, from entry.

The statement is made that the Dover Oil Company, which is financed by Bakersfield and Los Angeles capital, and the Barstow-Pacific Oil Company, of which C. E. Kendrick is general manager, will begin development work by the first of December. Their properties are located close to the anticline, north of Hawes and Hinckley, and the prospects are considered gilt-edge by qualified experts.

It is claimed that 90 per cent of the strangers who have visited the desert between Muroc, twelve miles west of Kramer and Barstow, in the past nine months, are oil men, many of whom have claims in this vicinity or were here looking over the prospects. Land office records in San Bernardino and Los Angeles show that 205,000 acres of desert land have been located in the past five years. It is stated that fully three-fourths of these locations were mineral or oil.

PAPERS ARE FILED IN LAND LITIGATION

Mary F. Francis Contends Land Was Filed on by Her at Los Angeles Prior to Time of Plaintiffs

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 13.—A cross complaint setting forth her claims to the southeast quarter of section 32-12-23 has been filed by Attorney E. L. Foster for Mary F. Frances in the suit brought by M. H. Waite, David Bachman, J. M. Danziger, Charles A. Son, A. L. Weill and others for porsession of the land. It is held that the quarter section was vacant on January 1, 1907, and that it was entered as the Elain placer mining claim by John Caley, James Hawley, Ira P. Goodwin, Leslie Francis, A. E. Brown and others. The cross complaint alleges that the land was subsequently assigned to her and that she filed her claim for the same in the Los Angeles land office on September 14, 1911, and the plaintiffs entered their claim two months later.

It is contended that cross complainant has expended $25,000 in developing the land to oil and has obtained a well which flows about fifty barrels of oil per day and that there is an oil well drilling outfit on the land at present. The land has been in litigation for several years. The Eldon and other companies are operating on it.

PAYMENT IS MADE ON SILVER TIP PROPERTY

Sum of $21,000 Received in Coalinga to Apply on $125,000 Purchase

COALINGA, Sept. 13.—The local office of the Silver Tip Oil company received a check today for approximately $21,000, as the final part of the cash payment on the purchase price, and it is believed that as soon as the preferred stock is issued to the Silver Tip stockholders by the purchasers, the W. P. Hammon interests, the property will be turned over to the purchasers.

An auditor for the purchasers was in Coalinga a few days ago, and upon his report the deal was closed Wednesday in San Francisco, S. A. Outherson jr., and H. A. Whitley acting for the Silver Tip stockholders.

The original deal called for the payment by the Hammon people of $125,000 for the Silver Tip property, one-half of this to be paid in cash and the balance in preferred stock in the combined holdings of the purchasers bearing six per cent interest and with a guarantee of the par value of the stock. The purchasers were delayed several times in getting a market for the bonds and had to have the date of payments postponed. They finally made the cash payment in three installments, the last of which was received here today.

The Silver Tip property consists of 2 acres on section 6, 21-15, and two producing wells. The No. 1 well was brought in a gusher about three years ago, and was one of the spectacular sights of this field. It has produced from a flow ever since, and at the present time is making about 150 barrels per day. The No. 2 well has been only a small producer, but the oil is of 28 gravity.

The company was formed here and there are a large number of stockholders in Coalinga. Several dividends have been paid from the production of the gusher.

No word has been received here as to what date the Hammon people will take charge of the property, but it is understood that the preferred stock has already been turned over to trustees for division among the Silver Tip stockholders, and that the Hammon people will take charge in a few days.

EAGLE CREEK GETS 900-BARREL WELL

Producer Is Perforated at 2100-Foot Level; Heavy Pressure of Gas Is Expected; Pipe Anchored

TAFT, Sept. 13.—The Eagle Creek, operating on section 21, 31-23, where it has five good wells, added another big one to its producers in No. 6, which is producing 900 barrels a day. The well was perforated at 2100 feet, and, anticipating a heavy pressure, as in other wells on the property, Superintendent Cooley had the pipe anchored down tightly. The force of the gas and oil blew out the packer and for a time the well was beyond control.

BRIEF OIL NOTES OF MIDWAY FIELD

TAFT, Sept. 13.—The California Counties Oil Company, on section 4-32-23, is rigging up for its No. 3 well which is to be drilled with a rotary by the California Well Drilling Company. Now bunk houses are being built on the lease and the entire camp enlarged considerably that the crews may be well cared for. The California Counties Oil Company are operating on what was formerly the La Belle lease.

The Oakland Midway Oil Company perforated its No. 1 well Thursday at a depth of 2,013 feet. The well is on section 13-31-22. A 6-inch liner had been put in the hole, this being the pipe which the Brinkman company used the perforator on.

The Globe Exploration Company is planning to put down another well on section 19-31-22. This is the company's home camp.

The Caribou Oil Company on section 28-31-23 has contracted with Jim Ross, of Taft, to put down its No. 2 well with a rotary. Rig Builder Black is now erecting the derrick and the drilling may start early in October.

The No. 1 well of the Caribou never was a producer although it is in proven territory. The No. 2 will be put down in the northwest corner of the lease, near the excellent producing wells of the Mays and California Amalgamated Oil Companies.

Well No. 6 of the Alaska Pioneer Oil Company, on section 32-31-23, has reached a depth of 1,650 feet. Well No. 5 is down 1,400 feet. The wells are being drilled with a rotary under contract by Drilling Contractor Jim Ross. Uniform consistent headway has been made all along with the drilling of these two wells, although some hard sand has been passed through several times.

Well No. 1 of the Oilspa Oil Company on section 32-12-23, was perforated yesterday by Field Superintendent Barlow of the Brinkman Perforating Company. The hole was put down originally with perforated pipe, it being found necessary to re-perforate that the well might be brought in. The well is down 1,878 feet.

The No. 2 well of the Northern Exploration Company on section 22-31-23, is down 2,000 feet, the 10-inch casing having been landed at that depth. The well is being drilled with a rotary. H. H. McClintock is in charge of the lease. The hole is being put down to supply gas for the lines of the Los Angeles Midway Gas Company.

WITNESS OF MURDER MAKES CONFESSION

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 12.—The mystery of the murder of John Labond, an Italian who was robbed and then beaten to death between Broderick and Davis, Yolo county, in May, 1910, was partially cleared today in the confession of John Bongo, a witness of the killing, to a detective in the city jail.

The local police believe that Bongo and his partner were the two men who, with Antonio Cipolo, killed Joseph Piredal, four years ago, on the banks of the Sacramento river near Broderick.

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CITED TO APPEAR FOR ELECTION FRAUDS

Los Angeles Candidates Accused of Soliciting Votes at Polls

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—More than 100 citations were issued today by the district attorney's office in connection with charges of irregularities in the primary election of Tuesday, September 3. Nearly all of the election officials at Santa Monica and Long Beach were summoned to answer charges filed by W. H. Hubbird, Republican candidate for Congress, that Progressive literature was sent out with the election ballots, and that Progressive election officers solicited votes within the restricted limits of polling places. If proved, the offenders would be liable to a fine of $5000 or imprisonment from one to five years, or both.

Deputy County Clerk McAleer, in charge of the sending out of all election ballots, absolutely denied today that there was any irregularity, so far as the county clerk's office was concerned, in the distribution of ballots.

The suburban officials, together with a hundred or more witnesses from the city were notified to appear before the grand jury next Thursday and tell what they know about the alleged frauds. Deputy District Attorney W. J. Jacs will be in charge of the investigation.

MAKES WIFE HEAD OF HOFFMAN FAMILY

Husband Had Beaten His 5-Year-Old Son With Garden Hose

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—As punishment for having beaten his 5-year-old son with a length of garden hose, Charles Hoffman, a sign painter, stands today, by court order, deposed from his position as head of his household. The order was entered by Judge Willis, of the juvenile court, who constituted Mrs. Hoffman legally head of the house.

Hoffman was accused of having beaten the child severely. The boy was exhibit "A" in the case, and after examining the welts upon his body, the court told Hoffman he was not fit to be head of a family, and then conferred that dignity upon Mrs. Hoffman.

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ESPEE OFFICIALS VISITING VALLEY

Pass Fresno in Private Car; Go Over Hanford & Summit Lake and P. N. E.

A party of Southern Pacific officials in a private car passed through Fresno yesterday morning on an inspection tour of the San Joaquin valley lines. The men remained here but a few minutes and left on the next southbound train for Hanford. In the afternoon they inspected the new Hanford and Summit Lake branch road from Hardwick on the Kings river to Tranquillity. From there the private car was taken to Porterville. This morning the officials will take a trip over the Porterville and Northeastern line which was recently inspected. After this inspection they will go south this afternoon to Los Angeles. The private car has been taken over the West Side branch and main line by way of Merced and is now covering this district to the south of Fresno and as far as Bakersfield.

Those in the party are W. R. Scott, general manager of the valley lines, Chief Engineer Barlow, F. M. Worthington and Engineers Norman and Titcomb. They are accompanied by two private secretaries.

J. H. Dodds, yard superintendent at Bakersfield, was in Fresno Thursday and left at an early hour yesterday morning with the Barnum and Bailey circus train for Visalia. The circus played at Visalia yesterday and will go to Bakersfield today. Dodds was in charge of the equipment of cars and engine. He returned a few days ago from Iowa, his native state, where he visited relatives and friends for six weeks.

POLICE MAGISTRATE HAS BUSY SESSION

Police Judge Briggs was yesterday morning greeted by a large number of petty offenders, who were arrested Thursday night following the circus, and the magistrate released most all on suspended sentences. The men were charged with drunkenness and disturbing the peace. The police early yesterday morning answered a burglary call from 1260 Kern street and arrested Seth Sunstrom and a Hindu for disturbing the peace. The men were fighting. They pleaded guilty in court and were released.

SCHOOL TEACHER IS INJURED ON TRAIN

While enroute to Fresno from Buffalo, N. Y., Miss Ella Miller, a teacher in the Emerson school in this city, was injured when the porter on the Illinois Central railroad accidentally allowed the top berth to fall on her head. Miss Miller suffered a slight contusion of the scalp. The train at the time of the accident was near Memphis. Miss Miller completed her journey to this city and will be able to resume her duties at the school on Monday.

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How to tell about their work with such accuracy of statement as will meet with their desire for exactitude and, at the same time, to put enough human interest in the story to make it understandable to the average reader is a perplexing problem for every writer who attempts the task. Perhaps the most successful interpreter of the scientific work of the federal government today is Frederic J. Haskin, whose daily letters in the newspapers of the country have taken first rank in presenting accurately, and at the same time interestingly, the story of the various scientific operations of the government.

Mr. Haskin has proved his metal in this field in his new book "The American Government." Whether he is describing an instrument so delicate that it will register the heat given off by a candle at a distance of five miles, or a machine so powerful that it can exert a force great enough to lift badly five tons of material; whether he is telling how the government regulates the time of the country or how it studies the germ of hydrophobia, Mr. Haskin's story not only is as accurate as arithmetic, but as fascinating as fiction.

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PRIMARY ELECTION CANVASS FINISHED

Official Figures of Vote on Candidates for Nomination as Supervisors

The canvass of the vote cast at the primary election of last week was completed yesterday and the results officially announced by the supervisors. The count of the supervisors was as follows:

SECOND DISTRICT
John Fairweather (R.) 303
B. F. Giffin (R.) 63
Julian J. Miley, (R.) 694
M. D. Huffman (D.) 829
G. W. Beall (D.) 217

THIRD DISTRICT
P. B. Millett (R) 385
J. B. Johnson (D.) 344
Johnson received besides 26 scratched votes on Republican ballots.

FIFTH DISTRICT
W. B. Mitchell (R.) 367
W. A. Collins (D.) 267
Collins also received 33 written-in votes on Republican ballots.

The official canvass disclosed no departures from the unofficial published returns.

COUNT OF MONEY IN TREASURY OF COUNTY

Total Balance Is $267,647, With $210,000 Loaned Out at 2 Per Cent

Treasurer Hickman has a total of $267,647.52 county and city money, according to the monthly verification of the cash in the treasury, made yesterday forenoon. County money was listed up as follows:

Cash, Sept. 1	$314,078.40
Received	5,601.46
Total	$319,679.86
Warrants, paid	78,212.50
Balance, Sept. 13	$241,467.36

Money of the city is shown in the following tabulation.

Cash, Sept. 1	$38,559.75
Received	3,180.99
Total	$41,740.73
Warrants, paid	15,560.57
Balance, Sept. 13	$26,180.16

The money on hand is made up as follows:

United States gold coin	$30,775.00
Silver	413.50
Warrants	1,244.85
Checks	70.00
Loans at 2 per cent	210,000.00
Fresno bonds	1,626.67
Riverdale bonds	3,517.50

Grocery Special

Snyder's Catsup, per bottle	20¢
1 gal. Karo Syrup	60¢
1-2 gal. Karo Syrup	30¢
Force, 3 pkgs. for	25¢
Cove Oysters, 3 cans for	25¢
Large Can Magnolia Brand Asparagus	25¢
Ripe Olives, 10¢ per can—3 for	25¢
Polly Prim Cleanser, 3 cans for	25¢
Tender Sweet Corn, 2 cans for	25¢
Deep Sea Lobster, 25c can for	20¢
Spuds, per sack	$1.20
Fresh Ranch Eggs, per dozen, 35¢—2 dozen	65¢
Barley, per sack	$1.15
Pink Salmon, per can	10¢
Tea Garden Syrup, 1-2 gallon	45¢

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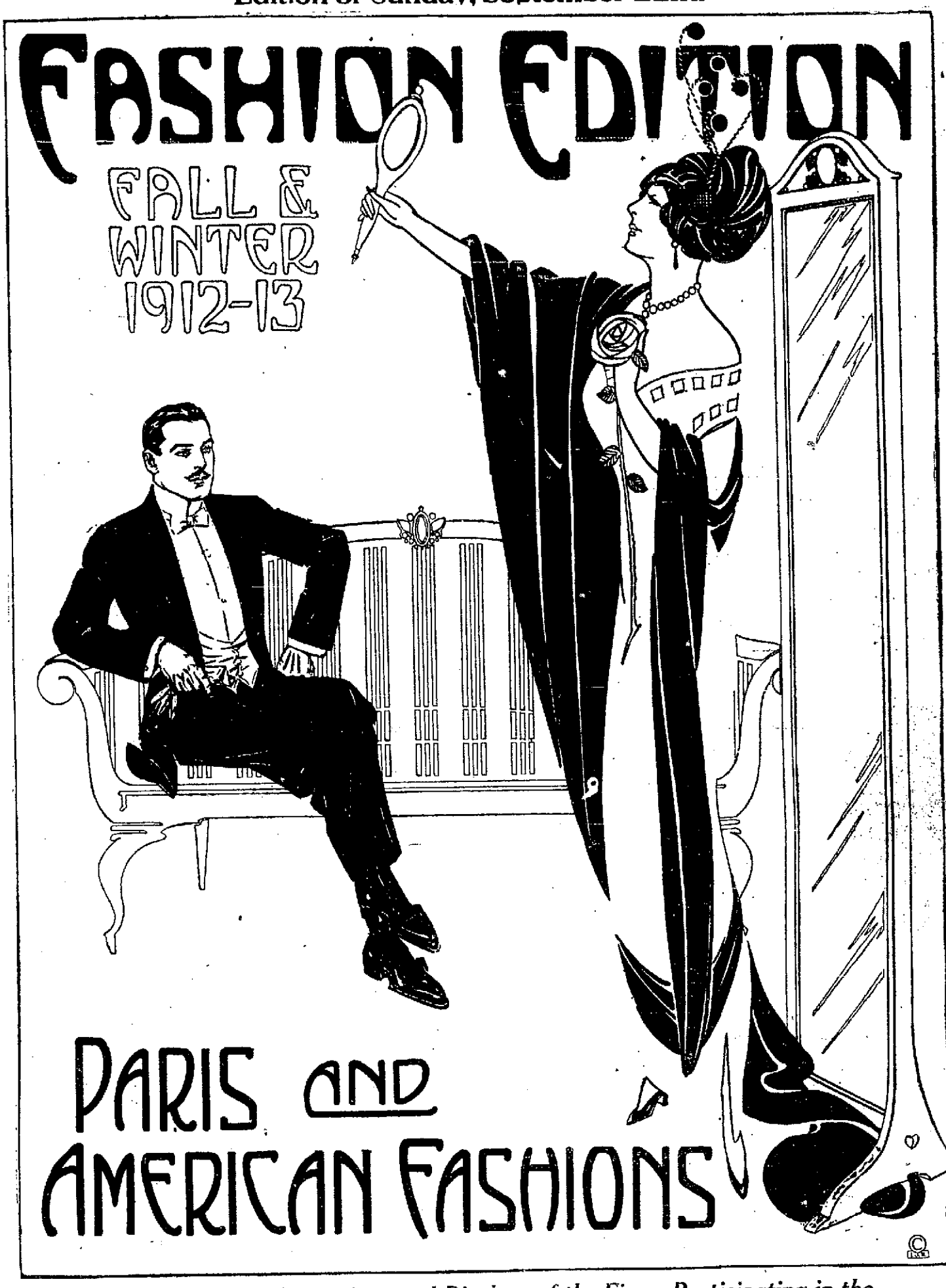

Announcing the Attractions and Displays of the Firms Participating in the

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JAILED FOR SELLING WHISKEY TO INDIAN

Upon a charge of selling liquor to Indians, Joe Arasona was placed under arrest in Chinatown yesterday by Patrolman Joe Enos and will be taken into police court today to answer to the charge. Arasona is alleged to have purchased whiskey in a saloon and then to have sold the liquor to the red men. In Arasona's company was Bill Comeback, a big Indian, and he was taken to jail and charged with drunkenness. It is alleged that Arasona purchased the liquor for Comeback. The Indians will be held in jail and will be used as a witness for the prosecution should Arasona fight the case.

LA UNION MEXICANA DE FRESNO

Sunday night will be the one hundred and second anniversary of the independence of the Hidalgo speeches on the labor question, teaching that the products of labor of right belong to those whose labor has produced them.

The day will be celebrated by the Local Mexican Union at the Coffee Club, 1251 F street. The receipts of the evening will be given in aid of the poor Mexican families of Fresno. Comision, directiva; Presidente, J. Castillo; Tesoro, F. Aguinar; Secretario, L. Herrera, 1147 F street; Collector General, D. Gatti.

COUNTY REGISTER OPEN AGAIN FOR 3 WEEKS

10,000 to 12,000 Voters Not Yet Qualified to Vote at November Election

The county register is open again for the general presidential election on Tuesday, the 5th of November. County Clerk Barnwell gives warning that with only two things and a little more of the voting population on the register, there are only three weeks commencing today for that one-third unregistered population to qualify to vote in November.

The register will close again on Saturday, the 5th of next month. In other words, as the county clerk figures it out, there are between 10,000 and 12,000 men and women in the county who have not yet qualified to vote and to accommodate this throng in three weeks is no easy task, wherefore the invitation to come in early and avoid bringing on a congestion in the later rush.

The registration bureau figures that there should be a registration of 36,000 voters, at any rate a register of not less than 34,000 voters. The estimate is made on the basis of the old registered number, the natural increase in population and the added number by reason of the enfranchisement of women in the state.

Clerk Barnwell has arranged with the chairmen of the two county committees to have registration bureaus established for the benefit of women voters in the large department stores in the city. For the presidential primary election in May the department store keepers placed such registration clerks at their own expense for the accommodation of their women patrons. For the November election the cost of the registration bureaus would be jointly borne by the county, the party committees and the stores. Mr. Barnwell thinks a notable increase in the city vote can be gained by this plan because the registration of women in the city has not been anything like that of their sisters in the county at large.

TEACHERS MUST SEND THEIR CREDENTIALS

With the schools about to reopen on Monday after the summer vacation, Superintendent Lindsay finds that there are teachers who have entered into engagements of employment with districts and have not yet filed their credentials with him. Mr. Lindsay would remind them that under the law no teacher can draw salary unless his or her credentials are on file with the superintendent of the county. Mr. Lindsay is anxious that all who have been neglectful in this respect, send in their credentials at once on pain of having salary demands held up until they do comply.

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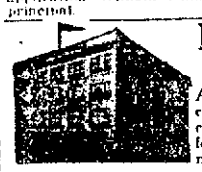
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WINE MEN TO PAY "MARKET PRICE"

Growers Not Being Told That $5 Per Ton Is to Be Paid

Although the price of wine grapes has been set at $5 per ton, it is said that practically none of the wine men are telling the growers openly that this will be the price. They are accepting grapes, with the provision that they will pay the "market price."

Deliveries have been increasing daily and it is said that a large number of Muscats are being taken from growers who do not want to pick for raisins. Some of these growers are picking for the wineries because they say they have not enough grapes to pay for drying. Others are sending to the wineries because they assert that they have more grapes than they can handle for drying.

The majority of the wineries are now crushing and there will be no cessation now until the season comes to a close.

UNCLE SAM WANTS RADIO INSPECTOR

Two examinations will be held by the Civil Service Commission to fill vacancies. The first examination will be held on September 25 to select a radio inspector (male) and an examination will also be held October 9-10 for a printer (male) for service in the Philippine Islands.

REPUBLICANS TO GET TOGETHER ON TUESDAY

Central Committee to Map Out Plans for This Campaign

The members of the Republican county central committee will hold their first meeting to outline plans for the campaign, next Tuesday night. Announcement to this effect was made yesterday. A search is being made for a suitable room for headquarters and as a consequence the place of the meeting on Tuesday night has not been announced.

It is expected that D. A. Cashin, chairman of the committee, will announce his sub-committee appointments at that time.

MOTORCYCLE THIEVES CAUGHT AT SAN JUAN

Report was received at the sheriff's office last night that W. H. West and Paul Weiterheim, wanted in Fresno for stealing a motorcycle, had been captured at San Juan, San Benito county. The stolen motorcycle, it was reported, was found in their possession. Arrangements for returning the thieves to this city for trial will be made today. They are accused of stealing a motorcycle belonging to a man named Stewart, who is employed at Kearney Park.

TULARE MAY SHOW AT FRESNO FAIR

Plans Under Foot to Bring County Exhibit Here; May Get Race

Plans are under way for the installation of a big Tulare county exhibit at the Fresno fair, next month. J. E. Dickinson, president of the Fresno County Agricultural Association, visited Visalia and Tulare yesterday and reported that much interest was shown.

A. E. Hiot, secretary of the Tulare County Board of Trade, has charge of the Tulare county exhibit and steps will be taken to see if the exhibit can be brought here. A large number of individual exhibitors re planning to come to Fresno.

The local fair officials are trying to get Campbell and Phil Baer of Visalia to hold their big automobile race in Fresno on the last day of the fair. These men are great rivals and have a side bet of $1,000 up, indicating the merits that each believes his car possesses.

C. L. Pulliam, secretary of the association, reported yesterday that all of the first floor space in the pavilion had been sold and the space in the agricultural hall.

DIVORCED PARENTS WARRING OVER SON

Transfer Guardianship Contest From Kings to Fresno County

Attorney M. F. McCormick filed yesterday for Mrs. Mary M. Ames of Hanford, contest against S. H. Anderson's application to be appointed guardian of their son, Charles H. Anderson, one of 6 children the care and custody of whom was awarded to the mother by the Kansas divorce court.

Mrs. Ames says that there is no necessity for the appointment of any guardian and that the application has been made and renewed by Anderson for the sole purpose of annoying and harrassing her, because he had made such an application in Kings county in June 1910 for all the children and it was then denied.

She is a resident of Hanford but at present temporarily camping out near Bowles awaiting employment in a fruit orchard for self and family. She is the former wife of Anderson but was divorced from him at Burlington, Kans., in January 1908 with the custody of the children over since vested in her save for a limited time when the father had the boy and made provision for his care.

Mrs. Ames married Frank H. Ames in November 1909, and says that being a farm laborer working here and there at day's wages with no settled abode Anderson is not so situated as to have the care and bringing up of a son. Anderson is located on a farm near Herndon.

INSANE PATIENT BECOMES UNRULY

Getting beyond the control of the nurses at the Craven sanitarium last night, Joe Kohebivtch, a patient, fought his way to the street and was finally overpowered by a fireman and four citizens, and with the aid of the police loaded into an ambulance and taken to the jail, where he was locked in the insane ward. Kohebivtch, it is reported, got beyond control of the nurses Tuesday night, but was finally quieted. He is thought to be mentally unbalanced. A report was made to police headquarters regarding the affair and Patrolmen Broad, Hardenbrook, Hansen and Wickstrom responded, but the man had been tied by the hands and feet when the officers arrived.

CONTRACTOR'S WIFE IS CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Bedella Cowan, wife of D. A. Cowan, a Fresno contractor, died last night at 1945 McKenzie avenue. Mrs. Cowan was 46 years og age and had made her home in Fresno for some time. She died from a cancer. The remains were taken in charge by Stephens & Bean and funeral arrangements will be made later.

PURITY LEAGUE SEEKS TO REMOVE OFFICIAL

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 13.—The three judges of the Superior Court sat en banc this afternoon to hear the application made by the Purity League to oust District Attorney H. S. Utley from office. The charge on which the proceedings were brought is failure to close up the so-called red light district. Utley did not appear in person but was represented by two lawyers who filed a demurrer and a motion to dismiss the application.

The judges, Lewis, Guy and Sloane, then announced that they preferred that a judge from another county should conduct the trial, which under the penal code will be a summary procedure without jury. They then set the case for the 20th instant. It was announced by the court that with the consent of both sides a request would be made to Judge Bledsoe of San Bernardino to conduct the trial. The attorneys for the Purity League and those representing Utley agreed to this arrangement.

TRAVER BLACKSMITH TOUCHED BY "DIP"

While standing on the depot platform at Goshen Junction last night, Clarence Kash, a Traver blacksmith, was touched for his purse containing $118 and one or two checks. Kash had been to Visalia to attend Barnum and Bailey's circus and was waiting at Goshen Junction to board the train for his home. He claims that he missed the money shortly after two men brushed by him. One of the men brushed by him. One of the men boarded the train for Los Angeles and the other headed for Hanford. He accused the man on the southbound train but he indignantly denied taking the purse and refused to leave the train. Kash returned to his home last evening minus his purse. He claims that Friday the thirteenth always was his unlucky day.

BUILDING GUTTED IN ORIENTAL SECTION

Chinese Girl Loses Trousseau Valued at $2,000; Gas Starts Fire

Fire starting from an explosion of gas yesterday morning shortly after 10 o'clock, gutted the two-story brick building at 1041 and 1043 G street, in Chinatown, and did damage to the extent of about $4,000. Adjoining buildings were damaged by smoke and water. The loss is reported to be fully covered by insurance. A pretty niece of Fong Kee, a wealthy Chinaman, who was to be married in a few days, lost her trousseau, which had recently arrived from China. The trousseau was valued at $2,000.

The fire started in the basement of 1041 G street. Workmen for the gas company are laying new mains on G street and had recently made alterations at 1041 and 1043 G street. It is supposed that a leak was sprung and that the gas became ignited. The gas had escaped all over the building and the fire burst forth in many different places.

Lem Louie, a blind Chinese woman, was led from the burning building. She lost all her possessions.

The damaged building is owned by Chuck Foon, a widow, and which was run for her by Fung Gee. A Chinaman telephoned the alarm to fire headquarters, but as he did not talk distinctly, the operator mistook the location for J and Tulare in place of G and Tulare.

COURTESY AS PLEA FOR DELAYING CASES

Attorney Royle A. Carter filed motions yesterday for the dismissal of the suits of John Tuft and of George F. Church and O. L. Everts against H. M. Hartbold and others involving tax sale land titles. The complaints were filed in January 1906 and the dismissals are asked on the ground that the cases have not been brought to trial within 2 years after answers were filed. Attorneys Everts and Ewing file affidavits that delays and postponements were granted out of courtesy for various reasons and pleas to the late Stanton L. Carter and after his death at request of the son. The statement is also made that the late Stanton L. Carter had given assurance that the defense in the cases was without merit and that there would be eventual settlement without trial.

CRAYCROFTS AGAIN IN DIVORCE COURT

This Time It Is Husband That Brings Suit for Separation

The Craycrofts of 1146 O street have broken into the divorce court again. The tables have been turned this time and J. H. Craycroft, passenger brakeman on the Santa Fe, is the plaintiff against Mrs. Rose N. Craycroft seeking a separation on the ground of cruelty. The filing of the complaint yesterday was hastened by the family row on last Wednesday, when four police calls were sent in by neighbors to quell the disturbance with Mrs. Craycroft wielding a scantling. Craycroft a chair and having much the worse of the encounter. The Craycrofts gave their family troubles growing out of property quarrels, a thorough airing recently on a 3-day's trial before Judge Austin resulting in the denial of their respective prayers for divorces. Craycroft was represented at that trial by Attorney E. A. Williams and E. C. Beaumont but in the case of yesterday has added J. N. Sprouse to his retained legal staff.

HUSBAND CONSENTS; DIVORCE IS GRANTED

Ethel M. Cohen, was granted divorce yesterday by Judge Austin from Jack Millar Cohen on the latter's written acknowledgment that he had been served with summons outside of the state, admitting the truth of her allegations and submitting to any judgment that might be awarded against him by reason of default. The Cohens married at Riverside, in January 1907 and the ground for divorce was failure to provide.

CARS DELAYED BY TROLLEY BREAKING

Six street cars on the Blackstone and North Park lines were delayed shortly after midnight on J street between Merced and Fresno streets by the breaking of the trolley wire. The live wire fell to the pavement after one of the cars had passed the wire stretching from a pole. The street car men stood guard over the wire and kept curious people from attempting to pick it up. The "wrecker" arrived shortly before 1 o'clock and repaired the trolley and the cars proceeded to the barns.

TALLULAH FALLS IS TO BE HARNESSED

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Not quite a hundred miles northeast of Atlanta, is one of the finest cataracts in the country, long known as "The Niagara of the South." The Georgia Power Company is harnessing this falling water to giant turbine water wheels which will be used to drive electric generators, producing a hundred thousand horse-power of electrical energy.

The work under construction embraces principally two dams, the tunnel, the forebay, the power house, together with five main substations. The main power dam is being built of rock taken from a quarry just below the site of the dam. It will measure 381 feet long by 112 feet high. The upper dam, about eight miles upstream and designed for storage purposes, is to be 650 feet long by 90 feet high and will impound nearly four billion cubic feet of water.

About fifty yards from the power dam starts the intake end of the tunnel, which is being lined with concrete averaging 12 inches thick, will be 12 feet wide at the widest point, 14 feet high to the top of the arch, will extend 6800 feet long and convey the water to the forebay. The forebay is being constructed 30 by 70 by 93 feet deep and also lined with concrete. Six steel penstocks carry the water down the side of the gorge, a drop of 600 feet in 100 feet, to the powerhouse. This structure will measure 45 by 192 feet and will be built of brick, steel and concrete. The building designed to house the control apparatus is to be constructed of the same kind of materials and will have foundations 50 by 250 feet.

The water flowing through each of the six penstocks will drive a single 16,000-h. p. verticle turbine, each turbine being directly connected to a 10,000 kv-a waterwheel type generator. Current will be generated at 6600 volts and the voltage will be stepped up to 110,000 volts by eighteen transformers and transmitted over high tension lines to the distant towns and cities. All this electrical apparatus, including switchboards, lightning arresters and also the substation equipments, is being supplied by the General Electric Company.

It is anticipated that the construction work will be completed and the apparatus installed and in operation some time during the coming fall. Numerous cotton mills and other manufacturing plants in the vicinity of the distribution lines will become consumers of Tallula Falls power. The Georgia Railway and Power Company alone will use from 10,000 to 30,000 kw. in Atlanta at once. The total transmission system in process of construction extends over a distance of about 235 miles.

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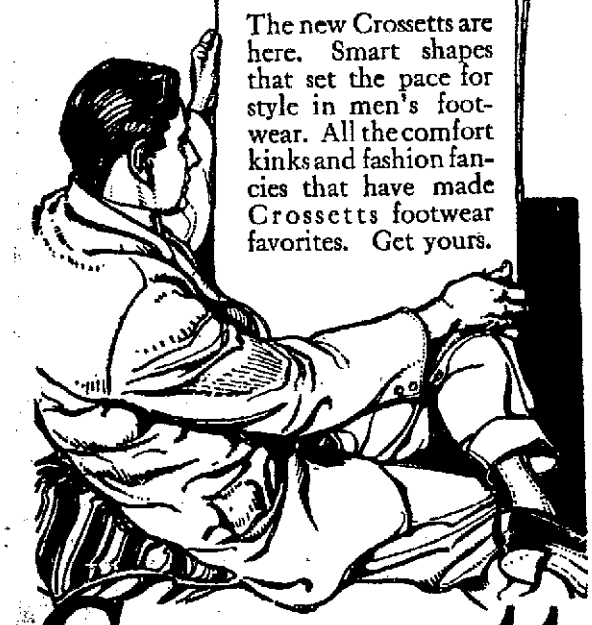

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JOHNSON SPEAKS IN THE NORTHWEST, ROOSEVELT IN UTAH

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at the close of his long tour through the Northwest. He came today into Utah from Boise, Idaho, speaking on the way at Blackfoot and Pocatello. He stopped at Ogden only long enough to address the delegates to the Progressive state convention, then left for Reno, Nevada, on his way to the coast. At Ogden, Colonel Roosevelt attacked "cotton men" in Utah who, he asserted, were opposing him because they said he had told them he would not be a candidate, and they had promised President Taft their support. Colonel Roosevelt spoke to a large crowd of people, some of whom had come 200 miles to hear him.

"No man who is an honest man is obliged to support theft. Up to the time of the convention there was room for an honest difference of opinion, but once the convention was ended, there was no room for such a difference."

At Pocatello, Colonel Roosevelt spoke from a platform in front of the public school, and to make himself heard at all was obliged to put in a good deal of his time in endeavoring to quiet the swarms of school children who scrambled upon the platform.

"I have come out here to the Rocky Mountains and to the Pacific coast," he said, "for a definite reason. I was asked not to come out here by some of my managers, who pointed out that New York state alone has almost as many electoral votes as the states in the Rocky Mountains and on the Pacific coast, an that the trip would take two or three weeks. But I insisted upon coming, because here in the West the Progresive movement originally started. In the East, it is spreading like wildfire. The crowds and the enthusiasm when I traveled through Connecticut and Massachusetts were as great as in the West. You started the movement, and I wanted to come out here and thank you for it, and ask you not to surrender your place in the lead.

"It is a matter of regret that in the Republican national convention some of the worst tools of the political machine came from the Rocky Mountain states. I want you to attend to them. We're attending to the bosses in the East. We beat the bosses in the primaries, and we're going to beat them 2 to 1 at the polls next November."

DENVER, Sept. 13—The statute that gives recourse to the courts to any citizen, who by conspiracy or intimidation is denied the right to vote for a representative in Congress furnished the basis for the argument of Attorney D. R. Hite today in the Kansas presidential electors case. Arguments were opened in the United States Court of Appeals, Judges J. E. Carland, W. H. Munger and J. H. Riner, presiding, the case having been appealed from the decision of federal Judge W. H. Sanborn. This decision held that the attempt of the Taft supporters in Kansas to enjoin Secretary of State Charles H. Sessions from certifying the names of eight Roosevelt electors to the county clerks to appear on the "regular" Republican ballot did not come within the jurisdiction of a court of equity. The arguments will continue tomorrow.

TICKET IN UTAH.

OGDEN, Utah, Sept. 13.—The Progressive party of Utah held its first convention here today, nominated a state ticket headed by Nephi L. Morris of Salt Lake for governor, and listened to an address by Colonel Roosevelt. Two women were nominated presidential electors. The platform adopted declares that "the paramount issue in this campaign is the control of our government and political life by the people themselves, to the end that they may have political and industrial democracy." It follows the party's national platform. The ticket is as follows:

Governor—Nephi L. Morris; congressmen—Stephen H. L. Love, Louis Larson; secretary of state—Frank J. Hendershot, Jr.; state treasurer—O. W. Adams.

Presidential electors—Mrs. C. E. Coulter, Weber county; Mrs. W. H. De Wolf, Beaver county; G. L. Carpenter, Utah county; Captain Hugo Yo Prezin, Juab county.

BRYAN'S ITINERARY

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 13.—The itinerary of William J. Bryan's Western stumping tour was made public here today. Starting from Denver, Bryan will close his western trip, September 30, in Wyoming, in time to return to Lincoln by October 5 when he is scheduled to deliver an address from the same platform as Governor Wilson.

Bryan will tour southern Colorado September 16, speaking at the state fair in Pueblo on the morning of the 17th. He will deliver an address in Provo, Utah, the next afternoon and one in Salt Lake City that evening.

He will speak at Butte, Mont., on September 19, as well as several other important cities of the state the same day.

He will speak at Los Angeles on the afternoon of September 23 and the next morning at Stockton. He will address the Democratic state convention at Sacramento the same afternoon and will speak September 24 in the evening at San Francisco. The next day he will be the guest of the Civic League, a womens political organization, at Sacramento at a noon luncheon, and at night he will address a public meeting at Sacramento.

Reno and Carson, Nev., are his next stops, where he will speak September 26. He will address an evening meeting at Ogden, Utah, the next day and will end his campaign in Wyoming on September 28, 29 and 30.

COLORADO RETURNS

DENVER, Sept. 13.—With returns from 8 small counties missing the Taft Republican headquarters at 1 o'clock today issued a statement claiming the gubernatorial nomination in Tuesday's primaries for C. C. Parks by 1500. P. B. Stewart, Progressive, and his manager, refused to admit defeat, saying it would take the official count to settle the contest.

TO ARGUE KANSAS CASE

TOPEKA, Sept. 13.— Attorneys in the Kansas presidential elector case left Topeka last night for Denver and expect to argue the case this afternoon before the U. S. circuit courts of appeals. The case before the court of appeals was taken to that tribunal by the Taft lawyers following an adverse decision by Judge Sanborn.

Arguments in the contest case were concluded last night before the Kansas contest board, but decision was reserved pending action of the Colorado court.

IS HE FOR DIX?

SEA GIRT, N. J., Sept. 13.—Governor Woodrow Wilson tonight said when he saw Governor Dix at Syracuse yesterday he gave him no assurance of support.

The statement was called forth by a public report that such assurances were given by Governor Wilson to the New York executive. The principal nominee had nothing more to say on the New York state situation.

The candidate announced tonight that he would leave early Sunday afternoon on his Western trip.

The governor will arrive in Chicago Monday afternoon and leave at 6 o'clock for Sioux City, Iowa, where he speaks on Tuesday. On Wednesday he will speak in St. Paul and Minneapolis and on Thursday at Detroit. After his speech on Friday at Columbus, Ohio, he will go direct to Sea Girt, arriving Saturday afternoon.

The following Monday, September 23, the governor will open the Pennsylvania campaign with an address at Scranton. On Tuesday, September 24, Governor Wilson will vote at Princeton, N. J., at the primaries. The rest of the week will be devoted to a trip into New England states.

Governor Wilson was shown tonight nan and the statement of John A. nan and the statement of ohn A. Mason, secretary to Governor Dix, with reference to arrangements at the state fair at Syracuse yesterday.

Governor Wilson called attention to the fact that in his statement last night he had no intimation "when invited" to the state fair of the political meetings scheduled for the same day. He leaned, he said, after he had accepted the invitation what meetings were scheduled for that day.

GRATIFYING TO TAFT.

BEVERLY, Mass., Sept. 13.—Telegrams received today by President Taft from S. A. Perkins national committeeman for Washington state, informed the President that the vote in the Washington primaries was even larger than reported and declared that the ticket nominated was the strongest named in years and predicted Republican success there in November.

RESENT WILSON'S REMARKS.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Democrats who had charge of the arrangements for the visit to Syracuse yesterday of Governor Wilson took exception today to the nominee's reported statement that if he had known the Democratic state committee and county chairmen were to have met here the day he was to visit the state fair, he probably would not have accepted the invitation, as he wished to avoid participation in the internal politics of any state.

Francis Kernan, at whose home Governor Dix was entertained during his stay here, made public a letter today from J. P. Tumulty, Governor Wilson's secretary, dated September 9, expressing regret that the nominee could not remain in Syracuse last evening to attend a dinner which had been arranged by Kernan. John A. Mason, secretary to Governor Dix and secretary of the state committee, declared today that there had been no misunderstanding with Governer Wilson.

Governor Dix, questioned as to his conference yesterday with Governor Wilson, today said they discussed the general situation, but that he did not ask Governor Wilson's support in his campaign for nomination. He said Governor Wilson was held in high esteem by the Democratic organization in this state.

"If Charles Murphy was at all put out by Governor Wilson's attitude toward him yesterday he gave no indication of it today.

CUNNINGHAM CLAIMS FINALLY CANCELLED

Secretary of Interior Fisher Disposes of Appeal of Alaskan Cases

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—All thirty so-called Cunningham Alaska coal land claims, involving alleged fraudulent blanket patents, which contributed to the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy, have been disposed of finally by the Interior Department.

The appeals have been adversely decided and Secretary Fisher has directed the immediate execution of the decision of Commissioner Dennett of the general land office, which held that the claims were improperly allowed and that the entries should be cancelled.

Secretary Fisher took this final action on his second review of the cases.

No more of the real Cunningham claims are pending, though the Interior Department is regularly passing upon other Alaskan claims somewhat similar to those of the Cunningham group. Of a thousand or more such, 300 already have been disallowed.

In the final decision, which became public today, the name Cunningham figures but twice in the list of 33 patents. Judge Cunningham and Clarence Cunningham appear and the others are under a variety of names.

Secretary Fisher's decision, in part, follows:

"I have again reviewed the case. No new considerations are presented in the argument although it contains many statements, reflecting upon the animus and the attitude of the commissioner, which are, in my opinion, totally unwarranted.

"After full consideration I am of the opinion that the findings of fact and the conclusions both of law and fact of the commissioner, as expressed in his opinion in these cases, are correct, and they are hereby adopted as the findings and conclusions both of law and of fact, of the department. The decision of the commissioner in each of said cases is affirmed.

"The applicants have had a full and fair hearing, both before the commissioner and myself, and indeed, the consideration by me of this appeal has in all respects also had the effect of a rehearing of the case after my own decision. The decision will therefore be carried into immediate effect and the entries cancelled."

WEALTHY MINER DIES

TUCSON, Arizona, Sept. 13.—E. F. Harris of this city, who was one of the wealthiest operators of mines in Northern Mexico, is dead from ptomaine poisoning at his ranch 80 miles south of the border, according to information received here today. He had been prominent in the mining industry in Mexico for thirty years.

RATE INCREASE SUSPENDED.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Proposed increases in freight rates on many commodities from Southern territory to Pacific coast points were suspended today by the Interstate Commerce Commission until December 31 to afford opportunities for investigation.

SERVICES FOR DEAD EMPEROR IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Two impressive services in honor of the memory of the late Emperor Mutsuhito of Japan were held in this city today—one this afternoon and the other this evening, only Japanese being present at the latter. Both were held in the Scottish Rite temple.

Matsuzo Nagai, the Japanese consul-general in this city, unveiled a portrait of the late emperor at the afternoon services, at which the other speakers were President David Starr Jordan of Stanford University; Henry P. Bowie, president of the Japanese Association of America; Kingji Ushijima of Berkeley, better known as George Shima, "the potato king of California," Y. Takekoshi, member of the Japanese parliament and editor of the Osaka Daily News, and several Japanese clergymen.

All the speakers paid eloquent tributes to the dead. The platform and the portrait of the late emperor were festooned with black and white streamers and grea bowls of white chrysanthemums were arranged beside the portrait.

NOTABLES PRESENT

The entire consula reports in the city attended the services. The army was represented by Major General Arthur Murray and his staff; the navy was represented by Captains C. R. Dove and H. T. Mayo, Lieutenant-Commander C. Kempff, Colonel L. W. T. Waller of the marines, and several other officers. Mayor James Rolph, Jr., headed the representatives of the city, and among those present were Judge W. C. Morrow of the United States Court; Justice Henry Melvin of the State Supreme Court Bishop Ford W. Nichols of the Episcopal church; President Benjamin I. Wheeler of the University of California, and the three members of the Japanese commission to the exposition. There was a large attendance, most of those present being Japanese residents of this city.

At the evening service Y. Takekoshi, member of the Japanese parliament, made the principal address and paid high tribute to General Count Maresuke and his countess, who had ended their lives when the funeral of the emperor began. He praised the spirit of the dead soldier who had followed the custom of the Samurai.

HIGH WAGES TO PICK LOW PRICED GRAPES

STOCKTON, Sept. 13.—San Joaquin county grape growers are begging for men despite their offers of $2 per day for pickers. The Japanese refuse to work for less than $2.50. It is feared much of the crop will be lost to the growers through the scarcity of labor. The Japanese have heretofore gladly accepted $2 per day.

GIRL WHO ELOPED TAUGHT TO STEAL

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Margaret Kimmell Foss, a 19-year-old bride, who eloped with John M. Taggart from Los Angeles, told a police judge in this city today how she had been schooled in crime by Taggart, who was arrested a few days ago for receiving stolen property.

"When I left Los Angeles with this man," said the girl, "he told me that he would show me a way to make lots of money. He got me a position in a home in Piedmont. Then he told me to steal all the jewelry and and silver plate that I could lay my hands on, at the same time cautioning me not to begin stealing too soon or I would be found out. I stole about $200 worth of jewelry and took it to him. He gave me a part of the money that he got on the articles from a pawnshop."

The girl was married to Charles F. Foss in Los Angeles last June and eloped with Taggart three weeks ago.

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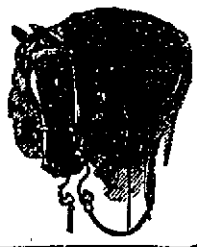

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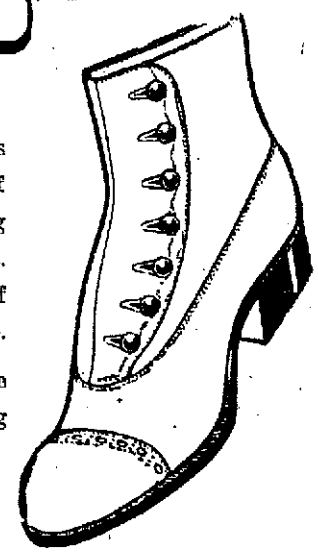

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FAMOUS RUBE MARQUARD WINS AGAIN

Rube Marquard demonstrating how he does it—Fresno Photo Theater today.

The New York Giants are now ten full games ahead of the fast coming Cubs. If it were earlier in the season, there might be cause for gloom in the New York bleachers, but, at this stage of the game, it looks like New York again this year. With only a month and a half to go, a ten-game handicap is practically impossible to cut down, and even if the Giants only win half of their games, the Cubs would have to go at an 350 clip.

RUBE MARQUARD PUTS NEW YORK ON THE MAP.

Last year it was Rube Marquard's fine assistance to the Peerless Matty that brought home the gonfalon. Two pitches was all that the scrappy McGraw had. This year he has three of the best pitchers in the business. But, Tesreau hadn't come through in the early spring, and Matty couldn't shoulder all the work. It was then that the Rube came through with his remarkable string of nineteen victories. It was a world's record, and was essentially in putting New York so far in the lead at the outset that the Cubs, in spite of their sensational spurt last month, couldn't quite made it up, although coming to within four games at one time.

MARQUARD HAS THREE RECORDS

Rube's nineteen wins isn't his only record. He also had the reverse English record of being the only Giant pitcher to loose two games in succession, and the only New York hurler who lost two games in one day. So, the Rube has a few records to point to, in the photo play at the Fresno Photo theater, the rube has been featured in a dandy baseball picture. We see him at practice, and close views showing his wonderful curves, breaks and drops. Also as an actor, the southpaw is there, seemingly being at home in the drawing-room as well as upon the diamond.

SPECIAL MATINEE AT TEAL'S TODAY

Special matinee for the ladies and children will be given at Teal's theater this afternoon at 3 p. m., and the bill is an exceptionally good one. Mason James Company in their piano singing act is one that is always strong with the ladies. Miss Mason makes four of five complete changes of elaborate costumes, that have been greatly admired all week, and her songs are catchy and tuneful. Morton and Vaughn in their dramatic sketch "Jimmy Valentine's Finish," has a splendid moral, and one that arouses great interest with the women folk. Tommy LaRose in his singing and dancing is par-excellence, and King and Queen in their novelty act are the best of the year. The pictures this week are exceptionally good, and the manner in which they are played by Mr. Wolf's orchestra makes them highly pleasing. Last night two immense houses witnessed the amateurs in their various stunts, and laughed themselves sick at the fun. Tomorrow there will be a complete change of bill, and next week will be the last of vaudeville, as the big Elite Musical Comedy Company, direct from Denver, opens an indefinite engagement Sunday, September 22nd.

SAND CREEK ROAD IS TO BE CONTINUED

Surveyor Ordered to Lay Out Most Available Route to South Gate of Park

The supervisors are set in their purpose to have a 6 per cent grade road to General Grant Park, and with the connection with the state highway a continuous mountain road on that easy grade to the Kings river canyon. Authority was unanimously voted yesterday to Surveyor McKay to proceed with a survey for a continuation of the 21 mile Sand Creek road to the south gate of the park; the surveyor to locate the best available route and not to exceed the 6 per cent grade. The effort will be made to locate this road without reference to the divide at Happy Gap and if practical on the further side of the canyon. Surveyor McKay will not be able by reason of other engagements to proceed on this survey for a fortnight. In fixing the tax rate levy next Monday the supervisors will bear in mind the cost of survey and continuing the road to the park, estimated at between $12,000 and $15,000. Half a mile or more of the road would run in Tulare county to strike the south gate. The district attorney has informally advised that the supervisors can expend money on this road, though in part in another county, so long as it is a continuation of one in existence and to provide direct connections between portions of the same county road. If legal objections develop against this course, it is understood that the supervisor in Tulare county is ready to furnish the connecting link to make the Sand Creek road continuous to the south gate of the park, located half and half in the two counties.

LATEST BOOKS OF MOST POPULAR OF AMERICAN AUTHORS IN THE LATEST SHIPMENT TO THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

A large shipment of books, nearly all the very latest products of authors of former "best sellers," was received yesterday at the Fresno Carnegie Library, and as soon as catalogued will be placed on the shelves. The novels are as follows:

Their Yesterdays — Harold Bell Wright. Wright is the author of what is generally conceded to be the most popular novel of this year, "The Winning of Barbara Worth," which has its scenes laid in the Imperial Valley.

C. Q.—In the Wireless House—Arthur Train. Train has written many excellent books, one of the latest of his works dealing with shyster lawyers in New York city, a fiction tale called "The Confessions of Artemus Quibble." This later work is a book which could do nothing if not modern, and has proven very popular.

The Sign at Six—Stewart Edward White. The author of "The Blazed Trail" and "The Silent Places," in this book tells the story of a political boss who thought he owned New York, but who is defeated by a young scientist, who grapples with him and writes warnings on the wall by means of up-to-date wireless.

The Sanctuary—Maud Howard Peterson. The hero of this socialistic book is a rich man who lives a dual life as society man and mill hand in an effort to solve the relations of classes to each other.

The Inheritance—Josephine Daskam Bacon. This is a chronicle of family life forty years ago by the author of "The Madness of Philip" and "The Memoirs of a Baby."

The Lovers—Eden Phillpots. An American Revolutionary tale of war on the high seas.

The Gift of Abou Hassan—Frances Perry Elliott. A mystery story by the author of the insipid tale of "The Haunted Pajamas."

The Court of St. Simon—Anthony Partridge. Author of "The Passerby," and "The Golden Web."

The Arm Chair at the Inn—F. Hopkinson Smith. A popular author of popular books.

The White Shield—Myrtle Reed. A collection of stories published after author's death.

The Moth—William Dana Orcutt. The story of a young and beautiful girl who fails to succeed in opposing conventionalities.

The Black Pearl—Mrs. Wilson Woodrow. Though no relation of the presidential nominee, Mrs. Woodrow has written many books of late which have caused nation-wide discussion. Her opinion of the average modern woman is an extremely poor one.

A Woman of Genius—Mary Austin. The latest work of this popular author.

The Long Portage—Harold Bindloss. A Canadian tale by this noted American writer.

Where There's a Will—Mary Roberts Rinehart. The latest detective story by the author of "The Man in Lower Ten" and "When a Man Marries."

The Daughter of David Kerr—Harry King Tootle. In this book are portrayed the efforts of a political boss to keep his daughter from discovering that he is a political buccaneer.

Marie—H. Rider Haggard. This author needs no introduction to the public.

The Antagonists—E. Temple Thurston. The latest novel of this popular author.

Bella—Edward C. Booth.

Mary Pechell—Mrs. Belloc Lowndes. This author's works have aroused much interest in this city.

INVADING ARMY IS VICTOR IN MANEUVERS

DRESDEN, Saxony, Sept. 13—The maneuvers in Saxony of the German imperial armies, which began on September 9th, ended today with a victory of the invading army, according to the verdict of Emperor William, who was chief umpire. The result indicates, military experts say, the difficulty of Germany's conducting a war while presenting two fronts.

OBITUARY NOTICE.

The sad and sudden death of Caleb Baley at Sentinel last Sunday, September 8th, was a great shock to his many friends and relatives. He was a genial, whole-souled man, possessing many good, kind and noble qualities. He was a native of Missouri, 57 years of age and leaves a widow, Mrs. Katie Baley, and three grown children, Mrs. Emmett Savateer, Mrs. James Parrish and J. E. Baley.

The funeral took place at Academy Wednesday morning. Many beautiful floral pieces were in evidence, tokens of the sincere sympathy of the many friends who attended.

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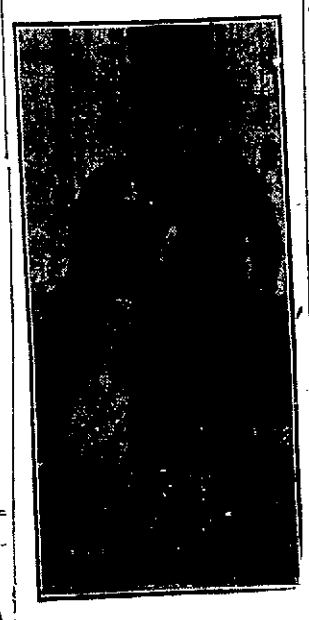

Scene from "Baby Mine"—Barton next Monday evening.

In presenting the Margaret Mayo comedy, "Baby Mine," at the Barton next Monday evening, Manager William A. Brady, under whose direction it is produced, calls attention to the fact that it not only run for an entire year at Daly's theater, New York, and over a year at Sir Charles Wyndham's Criterion theater in London, England, playing to capacity houses nightly, where so much anti-American prejudice exists. Still, they fairly searched fo rajdectives to praise this worthy laugh-provoking American play, "Baby Mine," which is sending a gale of laughter around the world.

The plot of "Baby Mine" was suggested to Miss Mayo through the reading of an article in a Chicago newspaper to the effect that married women of that city frequently deceived their husbands by palming off infants from foundling asylums as their own offspring, and that the husbands would go through life proudly, innocent of the deception.

Why shouldn't "Baby Mine" be a big success—a pronounced success—with such genuine material as an utter laugh and fun makes? There is everything in the play to warrant the general opinion that it is the greatest ever, and this is "goin some" when we recall "Charley's Aunt" and "Too Much Johnson," and a couple of other comedy plays that earned fame and made records, but "Baby Mine" is the greatest of them all, and will enjoy a long life and world wide popularity.

REFUSES TO TALK OF PANAMA QUESTION

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—James Bryce, ambassador to the United States from Great Britain, left here this morning for Moosehead Lake, Maine, the summer quarters of the British embassy. He arrived here yesterday from Australia, where he had spent the summer, and refused to discuss, in any manner the policy of his government toward the Panama canal.

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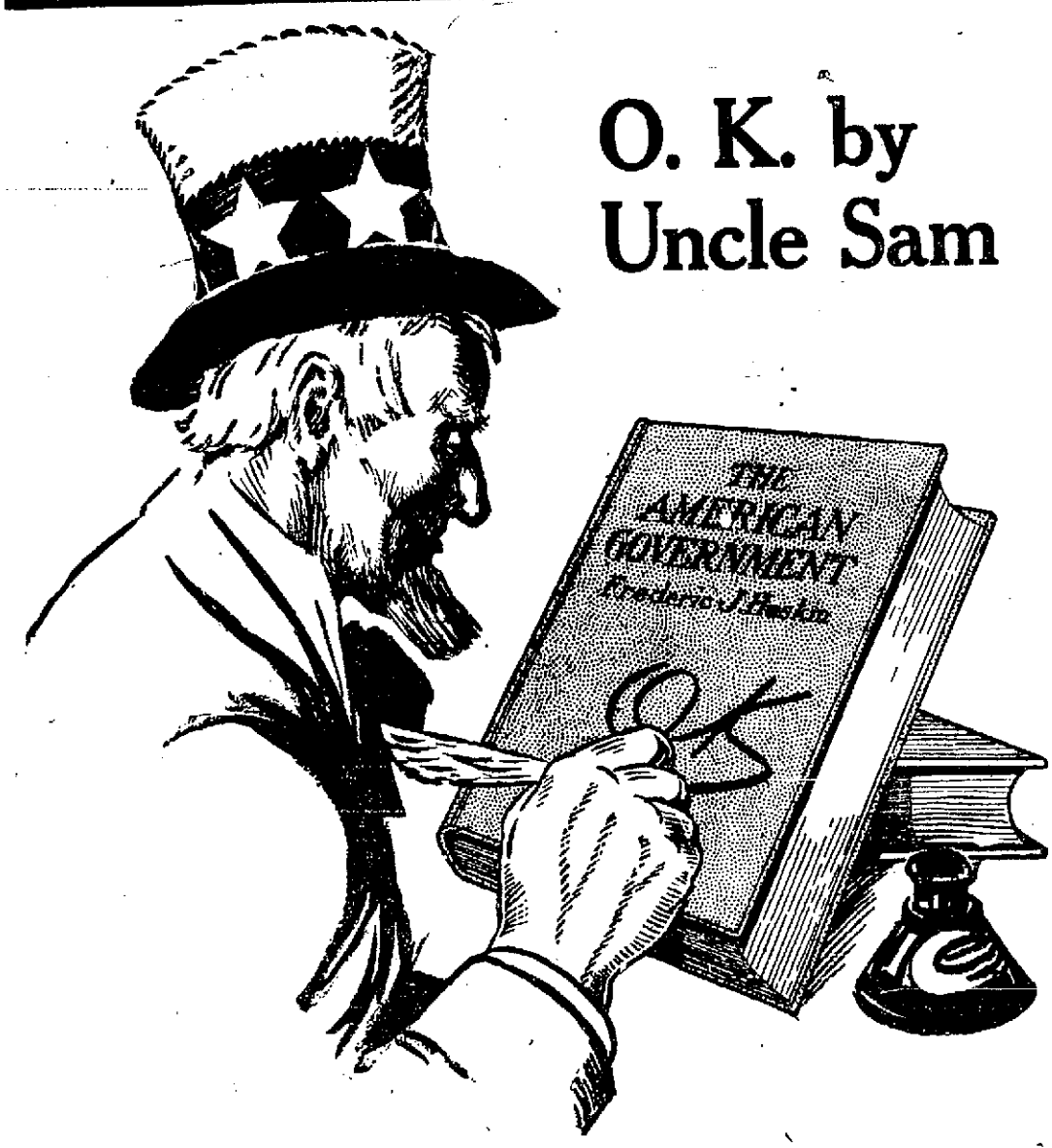

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News From Central California

SHOOTS STEPFATHER AT HIS HOME IN OHIO

Porterville Man, East on Visit, Protects Mother From Brutal Husband

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 13.—Word comes from Celina, Ohio, that Andrew Coate, a Main street business man, well known throughout this portion of Tulare county, is under arrest, charged with the killing at Coldwater, Ohio, of his stepfather, Jos. Swartz. Coate's statement is that he acted in self defense and because he feared for the life of his mother, both of them being threatened by the stepfather, who was armed with a revolver, is universally accepted here.

According to letters which have been received here, Mr. and Mrs. Coate stopped at Coldwater on their way to Mr. Coate's home in Ohio, intending to surprise his mother. When they reached the Swartz ranch it was to find that the step-father had been drinking and was in the act of beating Coate's mother. Coate warned his stepfather against further violence, and told his mother he would stop on his way home and would take her to California with him. When ready to return to this state, true to his promise he stopped at the Swartz place and told his mother to prepare for her journey. Swartz and Coate became involved in a quarrel and Swartz, who had been drinking, according to Coate's story, drew his revolver with the remark that he would "get" Coate before he left the place. Mrs. Swartz stepped in front of her husband and as the latter drew up his pistol as if to fire, Coate drew an automatic and emptied five shots into his father's body, shooting over Mrs. Swartz's shoulder. Death was almost instantaneous.

Coate was taken to Celina and lodged in jail. According to letters received here public opinion favors Coate and there is said to be little danger of his conviction.

KING'S DEMOCRATS WILL MEET TODAY

HANFORD, Sept. 13.—The Kings county Democratic convention will meet at Lewis Hall in Hanford Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for what is expected to be an all-day session. Endorsement of candidates of the party, the framing and passing of party resolutions and the selection of a new county central committee will be the principal matters of business which the convention will take up. One hundred delegates were apportioned to the various precincts and it is expected that the day will bring forth an enthusiastic party meeting.

TURLOCK SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY

TURLOCK, Sept. 13.—On Monday next, September 17th, the grammar schools of this city will open for the coming term and it is expected that there will be at least 700 pupils in attendance at the start of school.

The two schools are amply able to take care of this number of children, with the addition of some more seats in space which has heretofore been vacant. Domestic science and manual training equipment is being installed and will be ready in a few days after the school opens.

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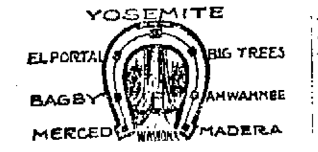

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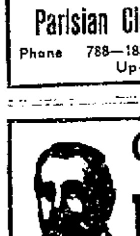
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CURRAN—Near Madera, Cal, September 12, 1912, to the wife of James Curran, a son.

BECK—In Bakersfield, on September 12, to the wife of E. L. Beck, a daughter.

WEED—In Bakersfield, to the wife of R. B. Weed on September 12, 1912, a son.

DENNEN—In Bakersfield, on Sept. 12, 1912 to the wife of Chas. E. Dennen, a daughter.

MARRIED

DECKER-LEONARD—In Sacramento, September 8, 1912, Archie Decker and Lyd Leonard, both formerly of Dinuba, but now of Ogden, Utah. The groom is a railway mail clerk between Sacramento and Ogden.

BLINKERHOFF-BLASWICH—In Tulare, September 12, 1912, Elmer Blinkerhoff and Wilma Blaswich, both of Tulare.

HUGHES-GUTHRIE—In Porterville, September 12, 1912, Guy Hughes of Glennville and Dot Guthrie of White River, by Rev. Duncan Wallace of Fresno.

DIED.

MARQUES—In Hanford, September 12, infant son of Manuel Marques. Funeral from St. Bridget's Catholic church Saturday morning.

BATES—In Bakersfield, Sept. 12, 1912, Mrs. Hattie Bates, wife of Robert Bates, aged 2? years.

KEMP—Near Brown, Kern County, on September 1, 1912, W. M. Kemp, 40, formerly a railroad engineer and recently employed on the Los Angeles aqueduct. He was killed by a fall from a train. A sister resides in San Luis Obispo. Burial in Bakersfield.

LICENSED TO WED.

FERNANDES-ROGER—In Modesto, Joseph Caton Fernandes, 32, and Clara Roger, 20, both of Turlock.

DUPONT-DE VAURS—In Merced, Henry W. Dupont, 27, and Ellis De Vaurs, 18, both of Merced.

HINZE-BLOUNT—In Merced, Ottamer Hinze, 63, and Rebecca Blount, 56, both residents of Stevinson.

FELIZ-RONNELL—In Madera, Frank R. Feliz, 21, and Lucinda L. Ronnell, 18, both of Madera.

GUARDANAPO-MARTENS—In Hanford, Jose Guardanapo, 21, and Josephia Martens, 20, both of Hanford.

SOUZA-ROCHA—In Hanford, Antonio Souza, 36, and Joaquina R. Rocha, 25, both of Lemoore.

ENGAGEMENTS.

MERCED, Sept. 13.—The engagement of John Edmund Russell, secretary of the Democratic county central committee, and Miss Vina Campbell of Berkeley, was announced here today. The wedding will take place in Oakland the latter part of October.

NEW OFFICERS NAMED FOR MADERA CHAMBER

George A. Clark Is President, Succeeding Robert L. Hargrove

MADERA, Sept. 13.—New officers were named at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors last evening. George A. Clark, editor of the Tribune, was named as president, Leo Friedberger, vice president, and E. M. McCardle, treasurer. H. H. Whitmore will remain as secretary. The executive committee is composed of R. L. Hargrove, E. M. McCardle, Joe Barcroft, J. M. Griffin, Leo Friedberger and George Marchbank.

The chamber passed a resolution to the effect that a state law should be passed by the next legislature making irrigation bonds negotiable at banks, the same as bonds of municipalities.

A vacation of two weeks was granted Secretary Whitmore.

ENROLLMENT SHOWS INCREASE OF FIFTY

Merced Schools Find Conditions Such That an Additional Teacher Will Be Needed in the Grades

MERCED, Sept. 13.—The grammar and primary schools of Merced opened this week and already show an enrollment of 414, or fifty more than at this time last year, and last year exceeded all previous years. Principal C. S. Clark states that new pupils are coming in every day and that within a few weeks the enrollment will exceed that of last year by fully 100 scholars.

It will soon be necessary to employ at least one more teacher and equip another school room, according to Professor Clark.

TULAREANS FAVOR RAISIN EXCHANGE

TULARE, Sept. 12.—Despite the fact that raisin vineyards in this section are very scattered, remarkably surprising results have been obtained by W. F. Meilke, Tulare county organizer of the California Raisin Exchange, during his stay here. While conditions will prevent the organization of a league at this point at present, all vineyardists and dried fruit men have taken a keen interest in the aims and objects of the exchange with the result that quite a number have joined the exchange in order to participate in the general benefits which it is expected to be reaped by co-operation of all growers in the valley.

GOVERNMENT ASKED TO AID QUARANTINE

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 13.—In order that the national quarantine law passed by the last Congress may be put upon an effective basis, chambers of commerce throughout the state are to be asked to co-operate in an attempt to secure from the Department of the Interior the use of the customs officials in guarding all the Pacific coast ports. To this end the chamber of commerce of this city is sending out letters asking that communication be established with Secretary Wilson asking him to make the customs officers the quarantine officers as well.

MODESTO CONVENTION TO DEVELOP CONTEST

Strained Relations Between Standpats and Progressives Grows Bitter

MODESTO, Sept. 13.—Although the Progressives control the Republican county convention which will convene in Druids' hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, it is expected that there will be some excitement during the session. The relations between the stand-pat and progressive wings of the party in this county, and especially in Modesto, are particularly bitter and strained. The present fight between Killam and Kewin for the Republican nomination to the assembly developed the bitterness between the two factions, and as an aftermath of the contest it is expected that the convention will not be altogether harmonious.

The Democrats will hold a quiet convention in Rogers hall tomorrow. It is expected that Denver S. Church of Fresno and George Vonley of San Francisco will address the delegates.

METHODISTS PLAN WORK FOR WINTER

HANFORD, Sept. 13.—The Kings County Sunday School Union met today at the First Methodist church in Hanford for the purpose of planning the fall and winter work among the Sunday schools of the county.

C. R. Fisher, superintendent of Sunday schools of northern California, was present and delivered an interesting and encouraging address.

DISTILLING COMPANY IS BUYING UP GRAPES

Selma Growers Receive $8 for Wine Grapes and $10 for Malagas

SELMA, Sept. 13.—Local wine grape growers feel that they are very fortunate in not having to accept the low prices being offered by the association wineries this year, as the Kirby Distilling company is making contracts here at prices considerably in advance of the prevailing wine grape prices.

Growers here are making contracts for wine grapes at $8 per ton. The same growers are reporting that they have contracted their first crop muscats to the same company for $10 per ton. The contracts call for delivery to be made to the Selma plant prior to October 1st.

The Kirbys, who are independent, are buying freely, and, of course, are finding no trouble in finding goods at figures so far in advance of the association prices. It is stated that they are not offering the advanced prices because they are forced to do so to buy the goods, but because their marketing conditions warrant them to pay a price which is profitable to the grape growers.

All indications point to this season being the largest run that has ever been made by the Kirby company.

FIRE LOSS IS TO BE PAID IN FULL

Terra Bella Paper Will Get Amount of Policy Soon; Is Printed in Porterville Newspaper Offices

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 13.—Exceptionally good time was made in the settlement of the losses on the Terra Bella News plant in Terra Bella, for within 36 hours after the fire, Earle B. Clemens, proprietor of the News, was advised by an adjuster for the San Francisco firm that carried the risk, that the policy would be paid in full.

Clemens has secured a temporary location in the Terra Bella garage, which he will occupy pending the reconstruction of the Hart block.

This week the News was printed in Porterville, the local publishers placing their plants at the disposal of Mr. Clemens.

ENDEAVORERS TO RALLY IN CERES

MODESTO, Sept. 13.—The Christian Endeavor societies of Stanislaus and Merced counties will hold a bi-county rally on Sunday, September 15. They will meet in the Christian church in Ceres.

Miss Nola V. Cole, president will be in charge. Mr. Willmott, president of Fresno county and Mrs. Haggerman, state superintendent of missions will deliver addresses.

The executive committee will meet in the afternoon following the afternoon general session which is to begin at 3 o'clock. A basket supper will be furnished by the Ceres young people.

Officers and superintendents are expected to be present with written reports.

TAFT NEWS MATTERS

TAFT, Sept. 13.—The Maricopa younger set will soon have another enjoyable social function. Mr. Heagerty is to give another dance at the Plaza on Saturday evening. This is to be the last of dances at the Plaza, for it is soon to turn into a skating rink.

Miss Lucile Reynolds will leave tomorrow for San Francisco to accept a position with the Grandfield Mercantile company.

D. D. Heagerty and Red Whitson were Taft visitors today.

Ronald T. Connelly left this afternoon for Los Angeles, where he will be met by his mother, before traveling east to Chicago. On account of the recent death of his father, he is taking his mother back to live with her relatives in that city. Mr. Connelly is contemplating returning to this city in the early spring of 1913.

The first masquerade of the season occurred at the Dreamland rink last evening. Prof. Sierks furnished music. The attendance was large. Miss Marjorie Ray and Milton Decker were the prize winners. Prof. Sierks, who is giving social dances every Wednesday announces a ghost dance for Halloween.

SENDS LOVE LETTER TO GIRL; ARRESTED ON INSANITY CHARGE

TURLOCK, Cal., Sept. 13.—Because John Borge, a well known local farmer, wrote love letters to a girl employed in the St. Elmo Hotel, H. A. Stewart, proprietor of a pool hall, has been arrested on a charge of insanity.

Stewart is infatuated with the girl, and Borge's success in gaining her affections has caused the rumor to go around that the arrest was spite work on the part of the former.

In the absence of the local justice of peace Borge was hustled off to Modesto and there placed in the detention hospital to await an investigation in regard to his sanity.

HARRY FEUGH IS HELD FOR STEALING CHILD

Young Man Who Eloped to Madera Has Hearing; Girl Refuses to Testify

VISALIA, Sept. 13.—Harry Feugh, the young fellow who is charged with abducting 14-year-old Dixie Buell recently, was held to answer the charge in the Superior Court at his preliminary examination this morning. Damaging evidence against the young man, in the form of letters which he wrote the girl, were admitted in the trial.

At the preliminary examination this morning the girl flatly refused to take the witness stand against Feugh.

Feugh was first charged with an attempt to entice the girl away for immoral purposes but this charge was later abandoned and one of child stealing preferred by the girl's stepfather, a Mr. Ogilvie, of Exeter.

COALINGA HAPPENINGS

COALINGA, Sept. 13.—D. J. Kahan came in last evening from Lost Hills and has been engaged by the Standard. He is a well known character in all the oil fields.

Mr. and Mrs. George Satchell are in San Francisco.

W. A. Morrow has returned to Los Angeles after a visit to Mrs. J. J. O'Leary and Mrs. S. W. Reedy, his aunts.

L. T. Trumbull left this morning for Monterey.

H. P. Jaynels in Fresno on business.

M. F. Robertson is in the city from Maricopa.

Mrs. H. M. Shaffer has returned from Los Angeles.

Judge A. L. Frick has returned to Oakland after a visit to friends in this city.

C. A. Hall, of the Spokane-Coalinga, is in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne have returned from Pacific Grove where they had been spending their vacation.

Mr. Marlin Lacey and children returned this morning from a three months tour of the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Foster, two daughters and son, of Billings, Mont., are here visiting Scott Foster of the M. K. & T. Oil company and may remain here permanently.

D. A. Stakes has returned from the southern fields.

Judge Evans returned today from San Francisco.

H. R. Crozier returned yesterday from Fresno.

Charles Rawlin, of Fresno, was a business visitor here today.

William Gray, director of the Dominion left last evening for his home in Canada. He was here for several weeks on business.

A. F. L. Bell, field manager of the Associated, spent yesterday in Coalinga on business. He came up from the Lost Hills by auto and continued on to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Jordan returned to Visalia last evening after a visit at the Kirkpatrick home.

A. J. McIntyre, assistant general manager of the J. F. Lucey Company, was among the arrivals on the morning train today. This is McIntyre's first train today. This is.............. first visit to the Coalinga fields.

Prid S. Turnbull, formerly manager of the California Oilfields, Limited, was an arrival on the late train last evening from Fresno where he now resides.

TURLOCK GROWERS GET $10 FOR CROP

Advice of Chamber of Commerce to Hold for Better Prices Proved to Have Been Timely

TURLOCK, Sept. 13.—The advice of the local Board of Trade to the grape growers of this district to hold their grapes for $10 or more has borne fruit and those who held out are now getting that price.

Several San Francisco and Oakland firms sent their representatives here yesterday and today and finding the local growers obdurate, they gave in and paid the price, $10 a ton, asked.

The picking will start in a few days now and will continue for some time as the crop is fairly heavy notwithstanding the bad weather and reports to the contrary.

PORTERVILLE WILL GIVE PIGEON SHOOT

Arrange to Have Event on Day of Big Celebration Oct. 22; Shooters Invited From All Over State

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 13.—C. A. Buswell of the Fish and Game association, has been placed in charge of the clay pigeon shoot which will be a feature of Porterville Day, October 22.

Buswell plans to make of this one of the biggest tournaments of its kind held in Central California, invitations being sent to clubs all over the state to be present and compete for trophies. Makers of trap supplies, cartridges, guns, etc., will be asked to hang up prizes in all events, and the shoot will be made one of the big features of the day.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES ENDORSED IN TULARE

Convention at Visalia Is Enthusiastic; Woman Committee Member

VISALIA, Sept. 13.—At 11 o'clock this morning eighty delegates to the Democratic convention met in the Grand Theater building, and began at once the transaction of important business. Several women delegates were present at the convention, and took an active part in the proceedings.

Immense photos of Woodrow Wilson and Thomas R. Marshall occupied the central portion of the stage, draped in American flags.

Great enthusiasm was manifested by the delegates and the report of the resolutions committee, upholding the national platform of the Democratic party, heartily endorsing the candidacy of Denver S. Church of Fresno for Congress, and pledging support to A. M. Lumley for the Assembly, and the Democratic nominees for supervisor, was adopted without a dissenting vote.

After the convention the county central committee went into session. N. F. Bradley, chairman, and Earl A. Bagby, secretary, were re-elected to fill those offices, while Miss Audley Crowley, of Visalia, was chosen as treasurer of the county organization. Miss Crowley holds the distinction of being the first woman officer in a central committee of any party in this county.

The convention was presided over by Joe E. Greene, an attorney of Dinuba.

TOWN OF PLANADA IS SOLD FOR $1,000,000

Consists of 7,000 Acres; New Company Will Develop Rich Section

PLANADA, Sept. 13.—The townsite of Planada, together with the 7,000 acres of rich farm lands of which the townsite is a part, has been sold to the Los Angeles Investment Company. It was formerly in the control of the Planada Development Company. The consideration is supposed to have been $1,000,000. Negotiations have been pending for several weeks, and the deal was consummated yesterday in Los Angeles.

The transfer of the control of the Planada property gives to the services of the Planada Development corporation W. D. Deeble, secretary of the Los Angeles Investment Company, as vice president and F. L. Mowder, now treasurer of the Los Angeles Investment Company, with the position of auditor. Ernest L. Ingold, now assistant to President Elder of the Los Angeles Investment Company, will exercise authority as general manager of the Planada Development corporation.

The Planada district is rapidly being settled by a thrifty class of people who have the welfare of the community at heart and are developing the properties with a view to making them richly productive. The entire Planada district is one of the richest agricultural sections of the great San Joaquin valley.

This is one of the largest deals of the year in this section, and will mean the development of the lands contiguous to this city, which is situated on the main line of the Santa Fe in Merced county.

Practically all of sections 24, 25, 26, 27, 34, 35, 40 and 41 are included, the entire town of Planada with its many handsome stores and homes, and many other holdings throughout Merced county, also pass into the control of the investment company.

The acreage is on a gentle slope to the San Joaquin and has abundant water within 15 to 20 feet of the surface and is easily accessible to short-lift pumps.

Planada now has a bank, a $40,000 hotel and several large store buildings, and many handsome residences. A complete system of graded streets, cement walks and curbing are already in, an electric light plant and efficient water system. An auto stage line is to inaugurated to the Yosemite next season and an electric line is already surveyed from Merced.

Mr. Ingold is now in Planada and will acquaint himself with the development work in progress.

VALLEY MEN GIVEN HONORS IN OFFICES

Secretary of Tulare County Society Secures Passage of Resolution Changing Deer Season

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 13.—Thos. B. Coull, secretary of the Tulare County Humane Society, was honored by the state humane society in San Bernardino this week, in being appointed as the chairman of the publicity committee and as one of the committee on membership. William Duncan, who has served on the board of directors of the local organization for the past several years, was made honorary vice president.

Coull introduced and secured the unanimous adoption of a resolution calling upon the legislature to change the open season for deer to a period of fifteen days beginning either the 1st or the 15th of September, preferably the latter.

HANFORD NIMRODS HOLD BIG MEETING

Plans Are Made for Entertainment of Delegates Who Will Attend State Game Protective Association

HANFORD, Sept. 13.—A meeting of local Nimrods and fishermen was held here tonight to prepare a program of entertainment for delegates who will attend the State Game and Fish Protective Association, which meets here September 20 and 21. One hundred delegates are expected and a banquet will be tendered the visitors.

PILES, PILES.

Protruding, bleeding ... ... can be cured with S. P. Pile Remedy. Price ... ... at Smith Bros.' drug store.

Girl Baby in Tulare Is Blessed With Six Maternal Ancestors

TULARE, Sept. 13.—With the birth of little Elizabeth Jane at the home of R. E. Birkhead, near this city, on Tuesday morning, relatives are counting the number of maternal ancestors with which the child is blessed. The child's great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Le Nora F. Scott of Warrensburg, Mo. She is 83 years of age. Mrs. M. B. Ray, aged 62, of this city, is the baby's great-grandmother. Then comes Mrs. T. F. Billings, grandmother, and Mrs. R. E. Birkhead, the mother. But that is not all. Mrs. J. N. Birkhead is grandmother on the parental side, while her mother, Mrs. Cottle, makes a second great grandmother.

SEWER SYSTEM IS TO COST $42,800

City Engineer Jensen of Fresno Makes Estimate for Dinuba; Good Fall Is Provided; Surveys Completed

DINUBA, Sept. 13.—City Engineer Jensen of Fresno, met with the trustees Wednesday night and went over the proposed new sewer system in detail. The cost will be approximately $42,800, Mr. Jensen, however, spoke of a number of changes in which saving could be made.

The engineer had with him a map showing the arrangement of the various mains and laterals in the city's alleys, and the system divides the city into three different systems, the mains of which run through Mariposa, Tulare and Ventura streets, and to these laterals run through the alleys. The 10, 12 and 14 inch pipes would be of concrete and the smaller sizes of vitrified.

The estimate of $42,800 is for the sewer system but does not include the purchase of sewer farm which would have to be secured in addition to this amount.

It is probable arrangements will be made shortly for the calling of the bond election.

BOYS ARRESTED ON LARCENY CHARGE

Two Young Men Taken at Visalia Are Supposed to Be Ones Who Took Buggy From Lindsay Man

VISALIA, Sept. 13.—Marshal De Vall this morning arrested two young men, Howard Reese and Gayford Rutherford, who may prove to be the fellows who took a buggy from a Lindsay resident last week. Their description tallies exactly with that obtained from the Lindsay officers.

The boys were making a race course of Main street this morning while the thoroughfare was crowded with those who had come to the city to see the circus. They rode their ponies recklessly through the crowds and frightened passers-by until taken in tow by the officer. After being arrested they implored their jailer to allow them their freedom for the afternoon in order that they might attend the circus performance. The request was not granted.

FINGER PRINTS USED IN TRIAL AT MADERA

F. W. Hanney Is Convicted of Burglarizing Kutner Store by Evidence

MADERA, Sept. 13.—For the first time in a Madera trial finger prints were used in testimony and proved effective in securing a conviction. F. W. Hanney was on trial in connection with Bert Russell for burglarizing the Rosenthal-Kutner store here. The finger prints introduced were those of Russell, and when introduced by the district attorney, were objected to by Attorney Rhodes, for the defense. Judge Conley overruled the objection and admitted the evidence.

Frank H. Depew and his son Frank H. Depew, Jr., both of Berkeley, were the men who identified Russell by means of finger marks he had made on a blood-stained paper. They both declared that these marks were infallibly distinguishable.

There were a number of witnesses in the case.

The case was submitted to the jury late this afternoon and after being out fifteen minutes returned a verdict of guilty in the case of Hanney of burglary in the first degree. Hanney will be sentenced tomorrow.

Bert Russell's trial will take place tomorrow, and much the same evidence will be used.

MADERAN BECOMES ILL FROM OVERWORK

Was Taken to Fresno for Operation, But His Condition Would Not Permit of Use of Anesthetic

MADERA, Sept. 13.—J. C. North, who became overheated and subsequently ill with appendicitis, following the fire of Wednesday, was taken to Fresno for an operation. As he is also threatened with pneumonia from being drenched with water, and as the complication renders administration of anaesthetics dangerous, the surgeons decided only to operate as a last resort. His condition is said to be serious.

TWO CHILDREN ARE BURNED TO DEATH

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—George and Aaron Saarela, aged 4 and 2 years respectively, sons of Mrs. Hilma Saarela, were burned to death in their bed at 7 o'clock this morning.

Gertrude Landell, aged 5, daughter of Mrs. O. Landell, was badly burned, but will recover.

The fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove. Mrs. Saarela, a janitress, had left home at 5 o'clock and told her 9 year old son Tovie to start the fire for breakfast. It was while the boy was lighting the gasoline stove that the explosion occurred. The house was destroyed.

BIG FOUR IS GRANTED PERMISSION TO SELL

May Issue 100,000 Shares of Stock; Indebtedness Must Be Curtailed

TULARE, Sept. 13.—An opinion and order issued by the State Railroad Commission on the application made by the Big Four Electric Railway, at the hearing held here August 17, asking for authorization to issue 100,000 shares of stock at a par value of $100,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping the lines, was received here today.

Permission to issue this stock is given, but under conditions, regarded as strict. With the possible exception of one of these conditions, officials of the company are very well pleased with the decision. Investors are guarded in a careful manner and this it is believed will have the effect of securing the needed capital.

The most important feature of the order is that there shall be no further indebtedness incurred before $50,000 working capital has been obtained. Discussing this phase of the situation today, Attorney Frank Duryea of the Big Four Co. said:

"The contract for the grading with Hahn & Son was let before we had any intimation that consideration of this point would be made by the commission. It is possible that the directors of the company may wish to ask for a modification of the order from the commission.

"With the amount of stock which has already been sold there remains but a small sum yet to be raised in order to have the $50,000 working capital on hand. At the most the construction work cannot be delayed but a short time."

Other provisions of the order are of such a character that they absolutely safeguard the investor at every turn in certain circles which has hindered the plans of the company.

A summary of the provision are as follows:

(1) The stock shall be sold and shall yield to applicant not less than 80 per cent of its par value in cash.

(2) No commissions shall be paid except on cash actually received, and such commissions shall not exceed 20 per cent of the par value of the stock.

(3) The proceeds from the sale of stock shall be used to discharge the outstanding indebtedness. All commissions due on account of sales of stock, now appearing on books of company shall be cancelled.

(4) After discharge of indebtedness no further expenditures shall be made from cash proceeds of sale of stock until all of the 100,000 shares of stock shall have been disposed of and not less than $50,000 in cash realized from same and placed at disposal of applicant. If unable to realize $50,000 from sale of stock then the commission will authorize the issuance of additional stock.

(5) Applicant shall keep true and accurate accounts showing all receipts and expenditures according to classifications adopted by the commission and make monthly reports on same.

(6) The applicant must submit for approval the form of all contracts for grading, constructing, etc.

(7) The authority to issue stock shall apply to all stock sold before the first day of May 1913.

The order is dated San Francisco, September 10. It is signed by John M. Eshleman, Alex Gordon and Max Thelen, state railroad commissioners.

YOUNG MEN PERISH ON ALASKAN TRIP

Three Die of Hunger, Cold and Exposure on Sheep Creek Mountain

JUNEAU, Alaska, Sept. 13.—(Via White Horse, Y. T.) The bodies of Leslie Oliver, John Shatuck and Dell Linscott, young men of Juneau and Douglas, who went hunting Thursday, September 5, on Sheep Creek mountain and who became lost in a dense fog, were found yesterday on the mountain. They had perished from hunger, cold and exposure while endeavoring to reach the top of the mountain where there is a miner's cabin which would have sheltered them if they could have reached it.

The body of Leslie Oliver was found about half a mile from the summit of the mountain and above the timber line. The boy's shoes were worn through by the rocks in his struggle to reach the summit. In his hand was a pistol and by his side a shotgun. The hundred men of the search parties, after the discovery of Oliver's body, concentrated their efforts in the neighborhood where it was found, and finally after seven hours came upon the bodies of Shattuck and Linscott only a quarter of a mile distant. The bodies were brought to Juneau.

GIRL FAILS OF SECURING POSITION: NOT NATURALIZED

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—After putting in a year or so studying to fit herself for a position in the public library, Miss Matilda Wach, a German girl who came here from the country on the Rhine, learned today that she could not have the place she sought unless she married or took out naturalization papers. These were, she found, the only two ways of acquiring American citizenship, which is a requirement for the public service, and neither alternative suited her.

"If I married," she said, "I would have to keep house, and would not have time to work in the library. If I waited for naturalization papers, it would take too long. I think your laws are foolish."

TO REQUIRE MONTHLY RAILROAD STATEMENTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—The State Railroad Commission has in preparation an order calling upon all railways operating within the state to furnish the commission monthly statements regarding the carrying of freight, showing the amount carried, the average rate per ton, the average revenue per car, average loading per car in tons, etc. This will give the commission a system of statistics similar to that in use by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Sports---Baseball, Boxing, Racing---Sports

COYOTES CLASH WITH COLISEUMS TOMORROW

Sam Bowen and his Coliseums are eagerly awaiting their game with the Madera Coyotes, which will take place at Recreation Park tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Sam is confident that his boys will walk away with the bacon. As a matter of fact, the Coyotes have nothing on the Coliseums, for the two teams play a very even game. Sam will put the following team in the field; G. Preston, c; E. Preston and Johnson, p; Cartwright, 1b; Clarno, 2b; Wagner, ss; Lewis, 3b; Stone, rf; Khat, lf; Toomey, cf.

Madera will play the following quartet in the infield: Lewis, Kempson, Legget and Preciado. In the outfield there will be Harmmuth, Duncan, Traeger, Jewett and Bettie Andrada will be on the firing line for the visitors. Preston and Johnson, who will do the twirling for the Fresno boys, will be in no danger of being hit hard if they are working right. Both teams play consistent ball and put up a very even game, so an evenly contested match should be witnessed by the fans. The Coliseums almost won the championship in the late Fresno City league, and although they have gotten a bad start in the present race, they hope to break the streak of hard luck tomorrow and make a new start. Sam's athletes have trained faithfully and promise to give the Coyotes the battle of their lives.

The game at Lemoore promises to be exciting, as both the Lemoore Cubs and Red Dauner's Arcades are in condition for the fray. The Arcades will line up as follows: Ostrander, c; Smith and Merriam, p; Dauner, 1b; Ward, 2b; Tufts, 3b; Duncan, ss; Ryan, lf; Brasill, cf; Ford, rf. The Arcades will leave on the morning train at 8:15.

Kingsburg will play the Hanford Highwaymen tomorrow at Kingsburg. The Speed Boys have been negotiating for the services of Grover Brandt, but Brandt was unable to accept the offer.

REPUBLICAN-TRIBUNE GAME EXCITES INTEREST

The Republicans and the Tribune team clash at Recreation Park tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. It has been suggested that Sheriff McSwain act as umpire in order to preserve peace on the field. Art Bennett is manager of the Republicans and Dally Hansen holds over the Tribunes. The beautiful petrified baseball which will be presented to the winning team by a committee is in a perfect state of preservation and will be suitably engraved with the name of the winning nine.

EVELYN W. MAKES THREE RECORDS AT SYRACUSE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 12—Three world's records were broken today by Evelyn W., in winning the free-for-all pace at the Grand Circuit meeting.

Her time for the mile, 2:00 1-2 in the second heat, was the fastest heat ever paced by a mare, the fastest second heat by pacers of either sex, and the race constituted the fastest two heats ever paced by a mare. The time by quarters:

:31, 1:00 3-4; 1:30 3-4; 2:00 1-2. The first mile was in 2:03 1-2, last half mile in :59 1-2.

It was the Eel that forced the bay mare to extend herself, the two speeding side by side around the mile circuit. Evelyn W was the first to the wire in each heat by a narrow margin.

The free-for-all pace was the feature event of the closing day's program.

2:09 pace, purse $1000; Don Pronto won; Wydrad second; Jones Gentry third. Best time, 2:03 1-2.

2:12 trot, purse $1200; James W won; Baron Aberdeen second; Miss Davis third. Best time, 2:10 1-4.

Free-for-all pace, purse $1000; Evelyn W won; The Eel second; Independence Boy third. Best time 2:00 1-2.

In the fourth race, the free-for-all pace, the bay mare Evelyn W. paced the two heats in 2:03½ and 2:00½. These heats break three world's records—namely, the two fastest heats ever trotted by any mare, the fastest heat ever paced by a mare, and the second heat is the fastest second heat ever paced by any pacer.

Oakdale won the 2:08 trot in two straight heats. Best time, 2:07¼. Marigold was second and Todd Mack third.

MOTORCYCLE RACES FOR CITY OF BAKERSFIELD

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 13.—Motorcycle races will be held over the city and county roads here on October 20th, according to the plans of the Bakersfield Motorcycle Club. Permission will be asked of the city trustees and supervisors of the county, for that purpose.

The races will be run over the following course: Starting from the old court house on H street, south seven miles on H street, thence turn east on the Greenfield road to Union avenue and return to the city by Union avenue, returning to starting point via Truxtun avenue.

The course is 15.8 miles and there will be two races. Two laps will be run by the single cylinder cars and three laps by the twin cylinder machines. Prices will be sought from the local motor dealers. The race will be open only to motorcycle club men.

THOMAS OUTCLASSES ABE ATTELL IN N. Y.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Abe Attell, in his first appearance in a New York ring since his suspension by the New York State Athletic Commission, was outpointed by Harry Thomas of England, in a ten-round bout here tonight.

Fontella A grand old smoke for 5c. Cigars

BIRMINGHAM WILL MAKE GOOD AS NAPS' NEW MANAGER, THINK CLEVELAND FANS

Harry Davis and Joe Birmingham.

Cleveland fans are confident that Joe Birmingham, the new manager of the Naps, will pull the team out of the deep rut into which it has fallen under Manager Harry Davis. Davis resigned on Labor day, and Birmingham's appointment was announced immediately.

Birmingham, who by the way, is the youngest manager in the major leagues, being only 25 years old, knows baseball if ever anyone did. He is of the same school that gave Fielder Jones, Frank Chance and other stars to the national game. He has been one of the star performers on the Cleveland team, and enjoys the respect and confidence of all of the men under him.

Davis has not been a success. He has made many errors, and Cleveland fans credit to his leadership the fact that the Naps are not now in the first division.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—New York made it three out of four from St. Louis, taking the last game of the series. Sallee took his second defeat in the series when he weakened in the seventh. Both teams fielded without an error:

	R.	H.	E.
New York	3	8	0
St. Louis	2	5	0

Batteries — Marquard, Wiltse and Wilson; Sallee and Wingo.

BOSTON, Sept. 13.—Chicago won out in the ninth from Boston. Entering the ninth, Boston led 2 to 0. Cheney started the ninth with a home run into the center field bleachers. Donnelly then passed Shreckard and Miller, and gave way to Dickson. A wild pitch by the latter went into the grandstand, Shreckard scoring. Tinker was passed and forced by Zimmerman, and Miller then scored the winning run on Saier's fly. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	5	0
Chicago	3	11	0

Batteries — Donnelly, Dickson and Rariden; Cheney and Cotter.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 13.—Pittsburg won its tenth straight game when Carey sent a home run drive into the left field bleachers in the tenth inning. Donlin was put off the field by Umpire Brennan for kicking when called out at the plate in the ninth, and a few minutes later the same official banished Walsh for protesting when called out on strikes. Philadelphia played a fine uphill game, and tied the score in the ninth. The home team used four pitchers and had eighteen players in the game. In four games here, Pittsburg made sixty-two hits and only one error. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	5	15	1
Pittsburg	6	14	0

(Ten innings.)

Batteries — Seaton, Chalmers, Moore, Brennan and Killifer; O'Toole, Robinson and Simon.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 13.—Cincinnati won from Brooklyn today, finding Curtis for five hits, including a home run in the sixth. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	4	9	3
Cincinnati	5	7	2

Batteries—Curtis and Miller; Suggs and Clarke.

PITCHER BRANDT IS BACK FROM TEXAS

Weighing 186 lbs. and looking the picture of health, Grover Brandt arrived here yesterday. Brandt was the leading pitcher for the Beaumont Club who were the cellar champions in the Texas League. Beaumont is a town of 20,000 population, situated in the middle of the oil-fields.

Brandt has been unfortunate in the last two years in having pitched for the teams that finished last in the two races. Last year he pitched for the Galveston Club, and through no fault of his, they finished in the cellar. This year he was on the mound for the Beaumont Club with the identical result. For a short time the Beaumont team was in second place, and Brandt by good pitching placed them in first place. His manager was so tickled at this that he gave Grover a three days' vacation. At the end of that time, when he returned from Galveston, he found the team in third place, they having lost three games in succession. However, Brandt had the distinction of putting the club into first place over night.

The Beaumonts then dropped to the last place and finished in that position. The team had hard luck during the season, losing over forty games by the narrow margin of one run.

Grover Brandt and Pitcher Martini have been drafted to the big leagues, and will report to the Boston Red Sox of the American League next spring. Patsy Donovan, scout for the Red Sox, has ordered Brandt to play no baseball this winter, which accounts for his refusal to pitch for the Kingsburg Speed Boys or Sam Bowen's Coliseums in the Valley League.

Brandt, who first played baseball at the Fresno high school, went from here to Galveston. From there he was drafted by Brooklyn in the National League, who sold him to Nashville without giving him a tryout. Nashville sold him to Beaumont in the Texas League. Beaumont now has sold him to Boston. The main reason for his purchase was a twelve-inning, no-hit game that he pitched in the Texas League.

Dutch Leonard, also a Fresno boy and a southpaw, has been sold by Denver to Boston, where he will pitch on the same team with Brandt. Leonard has been one of the main factors in keeping Denver in first place in the Western League. Leonard also played on the Fresno Hi team.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 13.—Boston hit Weilman hard in the first inning and secured a lead that St. Louis could not overcome, the league leaders winning the opening game of the farewell series. Fast fielding at critical stages aided Bedient.

	R	H	E
Boston	6	9	2
St. Louis	2	5	2

Batteries—Weilman and Alexander; Bedient and Carrigan.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 13.—Cleveland defeated Philadelphia in a onesided game. Brown was hit hard while Gregg held Philadelphia to one hit until the ninth. Lajoie batted two singles and two doubles in four times at bat.

	R	H	E
Cleveland	10	16	1
Philadelphia	2	4	3

Batteries— Gregg and Carisch; Brown and Thomas.

DETROIT, Sept. 13.—Detroit overcame a lead of seven runs and defeated Washington in the tenth inning after tying the score in the ninth. Boehler made his debut for Detroit, and Washington knocked him out of the box. Covington and Willett finished, the visitors failing to get a man on after the seventh, when Boehler was taken out. Engle held Detroit to three hits in six innings, but was batted out of the box in the eighth.

	R	H	E
Detroit	9	11	2
Washington	8	12	3

Batteries—Bosler, Covington, Willett and Stanage, Onslow; Engle, Hughes and Henry, Williams. (Ten innings.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—Walsh outpitched Ford, Chicago shutting out New York. Walsh held the visitors to five scattered hits and struck out eleven men.

Chicago	2	6	1
New York	0	5	0

Batteries—Walsh and Schalk; Ford and Sweeney.

WOLGAST AND RITCHIE MAY ACCEPT TAFT DATE

TAFT, Sept. 13.—Taft will be the center of attraction for the entire country on Thanksgiving Day, if the plans of Promoter Izzy Rehfeld and more than a dozen West Side boosters carry, for an effort is being put forth to have Willie Ritchie and Ad Wolgast go twenty rounds at the Taft arena on that date.

Rehfeld telegraphed both boys yesterday offering a purse of $20,000. Wolgast is in New York and Ritchie is in San Francisco.

To outsiders, $20,000 as a purse to be raised by the merchants of a city but little more than two years old, looks large, but the enthusiasm shown when Rehfeld broached the subject a few days ago shows that the purse to be hung up can be raised with ease. Less than two hours' work abong the business houses showed a list of $7,500 ready and waiting for the fighters, with less than a quarter of the probable donaters to the big booster proposition being visited.

So great is the enthusiasm aroused that one small cigar dealer was willing to give $100 toward the cause, while other donations ran up to the $1,000 mark.

No replies have yet been received from the fighters, although their answers are being anxiously awaited. Should it be that they accept the offer, one of the biggest advertising boosts ever pulled off in Kern county can be laid at the door of Promoter Rehfeld, who in the past few months has restored the fistic interest on the West Side, which for a time had been rapidly on the decline.

PRECIADO WILL JOIN SANTA CLARA'S TEAM

Henry Preciado, the star shortstop of the Madera Coyotes, is wanted by the Santa Clara college team. The college has made a direct offer for his services, and he will probably join the college boys after the close of the present Valley League season.

OAKS CLIMB BY BEATING BEAVERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—While the relative standing of the three leading clubs of the Coast League remains the same as the result of today's game, Oakland's victory and Los Angeles' defeat increases the former's lead to six points in the percentages, and Vernon, defeated by San Francisco, drops to four points behind Los Angeles. Oakland defeated Portland here today by a score of 4 to 1. The teams now stand:

Teams.	Pct.
Oakland	.581
Los Angeles	.575
Vernon	.571

Koestner was routed in the pitcher's battle with Ables. Ables blanked the Northerners for eight innings, holding them to four hits, and striking out eleven men to Koestner's four. Score:

PORTLAND

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Chadbourne, lf.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bancroft, ss.	4	0	0	0	3	1	1
Rodgers, 2b.	4	0	0	0	2	4	0
Krueger, cf.	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Butcher, rf.	4	0	1	0	2	1	1
Baker, 3b.	4	0	0	0	3	3	0
Rapps, c.	1	0	0	0	5	1	1
Howley, c.	3	0	1	0	6	1	0
Koestner, p.	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Doane, cf.	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
Totals	29	1	4	1	24	13	3

OAKLAND

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Leard, 2b.	5	0	2	0	2	0	0
Patterson, lf.	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
Zacher, cf.	4	0	0	0	2	0	2
Coy, rf.	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Heilig, 3b.	4	1	1	0	1	1	0
Cook, ss.	4	1	0	0	2	3	0
Tidemann, 1b	4	1	2	1	5	0	0
Mitze, c.	1	0	1	1	12	3	0
Ables, p.	2	0	1	0	1	1	0
Totals	30	4	8	2	27	8	2

SCORE BY INNINGS

Portland	000 000 001	—1
Base hits	011 0 0 0 002	—4
Oakland	010 201 00*	—4
Base hits	011 212 01*	—8

SUMMARY

Two base hit—Doane. Sacrifice hit—Ables. First base on balls—Off Koestner, 6; Ables, 3. Struck out—By Koestner, 4; Ables, 11. Hit by pitcher—Rapps. Double plays—Bancroft to Rodgers to Rapps; Butcher to Howley. Wild pitches—Koestner, 2. Time, 1:42. Umpires—Hildebrand and Newhouse.

DAVE CREGG PICKED TO BE STAR PITCHER

Dave Gregg.

Northwestern league fans and baseball experts who have watched Pitcher Dave Gregg of the Portland, Ore., team, younger brother of Vean Gregg of the Cleveland Naps, declare that he will be a second Addie Joss. They say that young Gregg has the same powerful sweep of the arm and the same tremendous speed that made Joss one of the great pitchers of baseball.

Gregg has made an excellent record with the Portland team this year, and will in all likelihood be ripe for the majors by 1914.

CHIC EVANS STOPS ENGLISH CHAMPION

Charles ("Chic") Evans.

National Champion Harold H. Hilton of the Royal Liverpool golf club of England found his match in Western Champion Charles Evans of the Edgewater country club of Chicago in the qualifying round of the national amateur championship Labor day. Evans tied with Hilton, the two leading the field with scores of 152. It was only by a spectacular finish that the young Chicagoan was able to finish on even terms with the famous Britisher. The day following Hilton was eliminated from the championship race when he was defeated by C. G. Waido, Jr., of Bridgeport, Conn.

WESTERN LEAGUE

At Topeka: Topeka-Sioux City game postponed; rain.
At Wichita: Wichita, 1; Des Moines, 4. Called at end of sixth inning; rain.
At Denver: Denver, 7; St. Joe, 6.
At Lincoln: Lincoln, 2; Omaha, 3.

COULON TO DEFEND BANTAM TITLE IN NEW YORK OCT. 18; MEETS KID WILLIAMS

Johnny Coulon.

Johnny Coulon, king of bantams, will defend his title against Kid Williams of Baltimore in a 10-round bout at New York on October 18. The fight will take place in Madison Square Garden at 116 pounds ringside.

Coulon, who has been summering at Lake Geneva, Wis., reports that he is getting himself into fine condition for a strenuous fall and winter campaign. He expects to meet Frankie Burns at Kenosha in the near future. Offers have been received from St. Louis promoters who want him to meet Danny Webster over the short route.

ANGELS ARE STILL LOSING TO "SACKS"

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 13—With Pitchers Leverenz and Cheek warmed up ready for relief work, Single weakened in the eighth inning today and Dillon allowed him to stay on the mound while Sacramento drove out four hits and a sacrifice fly for three runs, passing the two run lead which Los Angeles had made in the first few innings. Alberts tightened up in the last inning and held the visitors hitless, the only inning in which they did not make a hit off his delivery.

Singles by Daley and Heitmuller and a double steal scored one for Los Angeles in the first; Orr's error a sacrifice and singles by Berger and Heitmuller scored the second run in the third. After securing only three scattered in the first seven innings, Sacramento filled the bases in the eighth on singles by Sheehan, Cheek and Alberts Lewis doubled to center scoring two runs; and O'Rourke's long fly to Daley scored Alberts with the winning run. Score:

LOS ANGELES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Howard, 3b.	2	0	1	1	1	0	0
Berger, ss.	4	0	1	0	4	2	0
Daley, cf.	3	1	1	1	4	0	0
Heitmuller, rf	4	0	2	0	1	0	0
Dillon, 1b.	4	0	2	0	8	2	0
Page, 2b.	4	0	1	0	3	4	0
Lober, lf.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Boles, c.	3	0	1	0	2	1	0
Slagle, p.	2	1	0	0	1	3	0
Brooks*	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Core**	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	10	2	24	12	0

SACRAMENTO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Shinn, cf.	3	0	1	0	1	3	0
Lewis, lf.	4	0	1	0	2	0	0
O'Rourke, 2b.	3	0	0	0	3	1	0
Swain, rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Orr, ss.	3	0	2	0	4	3	1
Miller, 1b.	3	0	0	0	9	1	0
Irelan, 3b.	1	0	0	0	1	2	0
Sheehan, 3b.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
Cheek, c.	3	1	1	0	4	4	0
Alberts, p.	3	1	1	0	0	2	0
Totals	28	3	7	0	27	16	1

* Brooks batted for Boles in 9th.
** Core batted for Slagle in 9th.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Los Angeles	101 000 000	— 2
Base hits	212 111 110	—10
Sacramento	000 000 03*	— 3
Base hits	010 100 14*	— 7

SUMMARY.

Two base hits—Shinn; Lewis, Lobert. Sacrifice hit—Howard. Sacrifice fly—O'Rourke. Struck out—by Alberts 2; by Slagle 1. Bases on balls—off Alberts 2; off Slagle 1. Double plays—Alberts to Cheek to Miller; O'Rourke to Miller. Hit by pitcher—Shinn; Howard. Time, 1:40. Umpires—Casey and Knell.

IZZY HOFFMAN MAY HURL FOR THE MODESTO REDS

MODESTO, Sept. 13.—Galt, the league leaders, are the next in line to play the Reds. They have gone up against the local club twice this half of the season and each time have come out on the short end. Last Sunday the "Grape Pickers" beat Stockton in an eleven-inning contest, and by that win are now fully primed to capture their next game.

Sunday afternoon will tell whether they can duplicate their last performance.

Pop Delmas' boys have been playing an exceptionally nice brand of ball since they came out of their slump, and no doubt will be able to take the measure of the visitors.

Manager Lesher has received word from Zamlock that he is sick and will be unable to appear. One of his mates on the pitching staff of the Missoula club, named Sullivan, will take his place. Zamlock, who has been signed by Detroit for next season, was very anxious to twirl for the Reds, but his illness absolutely prevents it.

All of the fans have not seen Izzy Hoffman perform and it is more than likely that he may serve up the slants.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Seattle: Victoria, 4; Seattle, 22.
At Portland: Portland, 2; Spokane, 3.

BASEBALL DOPE SHEET

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Oakland	93	67	.581
Los Angeles	89	66	.574
Vernon	88	66	.571
Portland	83	78	.517
San Francisco	79	90	.457
Sacramento	68	94	.381

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	94	40	.701
Chicago	83	50	.624
Pittsburg	81	52	.609
Cincinnati	68	68	.500
Philadelphia	62	70	.471
St. Louis	53	79	.404
Brooklyn	50	84	.373
Boston	42	91	.316

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	96	58	.716
Philadelphia	81	51	.609
Washington	81	56	.591
Chicago	65	69	.485
Detroit	63	71	.469
Cleveland	60	75	.445
New York	48	86	.358
St. Louis	46	88	.343

NEW VALLEY LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Hanford	2	0	1.000
Lemoore	2	0	1.000
Madera Coyotes	1	1	.500
Fresno Arcades	1	2	.333
Kingsburg	1	2	.333
Fresno Coliseums	0	3	.000

VERNON IS SOFT FOR THOSE SEALS

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—San Francisco defeated Vernon again today, achieving its victory by a score of 5 to 3. The Northerners hit Brackenridge hard in the first four innings, in which they made five runs. Hogan then replaced Brackenridge with Gray, who allowed no further scoring. Finning did wonderful pitching for San Francisco, allowing only two hits in the first seven innings. In the eighth inning, however, Vernon scored two runs of Fanning and added a third tally in the ninth. H. Krueger did not play today, as he received word that he had been indefinitely suspended by President Baum of the Coast League because of his difference yesterday with Umpire Wheeler, which resulted in his having been ordered off the field. The score:

SAN FRANCISCO

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Wuffli, 3b	1	2	2	0	2	0	0
Wagner, 2b	5	1	2	0	2	3	0
D. Howard, rf	5	0	2	0	1	0	0
Zimmerman, cf	5	0	2	0	3	0	0
Cotham, ss	4	0	1	0	1	6	1
Gedeon, lf	4	1	1	0	6	0	0
McArdle, 1b	4	0	1	0	11	0	0
Schmidt, c	3	1	3	0	3	0	0
Fanning, p	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	5	15	0	27	11	1

VERNON

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Carlisle, lf	4	0	1	0	3	0	1
Kane, cf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bayless, rf	4	1	1	1	1	0	0
Litschi, s	4	0	1	0	1	5	0
Patterson, 1b	3	0	0	0	6	0	0
Hosp, 2b	4	0	3	0	1	2	0
Burrell, 3b	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
Brown, c	1	0	0	0	4	1	0
Brackenridge, p	1	0	0	0	0	2	0
Gray, p	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Martinke*	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
N. Brashear**	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	8	2	27	12	1

* Martinke batted for Patterson in the ninth.
**N. Brashear batted for Burrell in the ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS

San Francisco	030 200 000	—5
Base hits	321 301 032	—15
Vernon	000 000 021	—3
Base hits	000 010 132	—8

SUMMARY

Hits—Off Brackenridge, 9 and 3 runs in four innings; charge defeat to Brackenridge. Three-base hit—Carlisle. Two-base hits—Wuffli, Schmidt, Wagner, Hosp. Sacrifice hits—McArdle, Cohan, Fanning, Wuffli. Bases on balls—Off Brackenridge, 2. Struck out—By Brackenridge, 3, by Gray, 1; by Fanning, 2. Time, 1:50. Umpires—Wheelr and Finney.

J. J. WOLFE CHALLENGES CHAMPION THURMAN JACK

Lemoore, Calif., Sept. 13, 1912.

Sporting Editor Republican: I herewith issue this challenge through the columns of your sporting page, to Thurman Jack of Fresno, to play J. J. Wolfe of this city, "100" points for the pool championship of the San Joaquin valley, also for the cup offered by the Brunswick-Balke-Collender representative of Fresno, Harry Hill; game to be played on or after the 26th day of September, in Lemoore, on any table suitable to Mr. Jack, also for a side bet of $20 to cover expenses of match.

Thanking you in advance, I beg to remain,

Sincerely yours,
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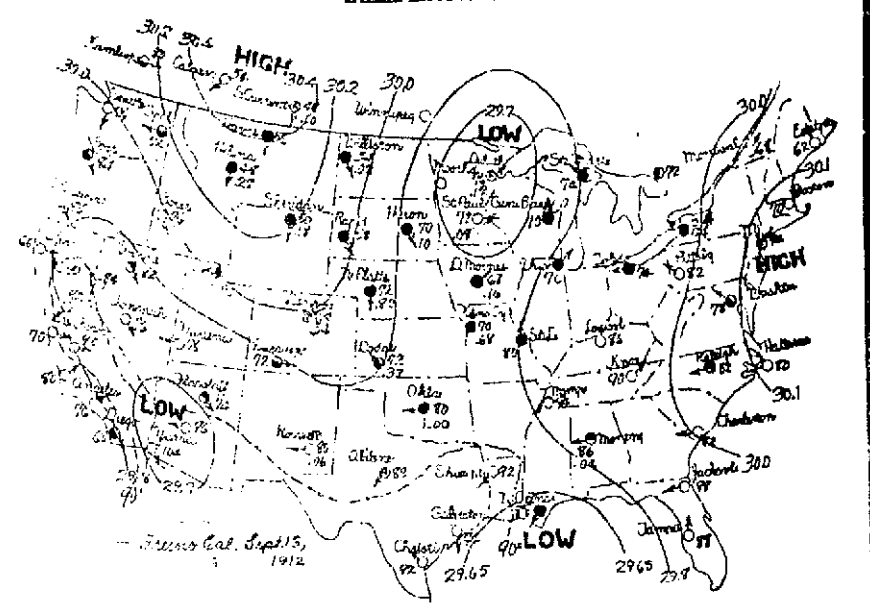

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 p. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isobars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 50°, and 100°. ○ clear; ◐ partly cloudy; ● cloudy; (R) rain; (S) snow; (M) report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, highest temperature past 12 hours; second, precipitation of .01 inch or more for past 24 hours; third, maximum wind velocity.

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKET REPORTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Fruits—Fancy apples 75; common 40; crab apples 50@65.

Berries—Strawberries 400@450; blackberries 2?@400; huckleberries 5@10; raspberries 550@800.

Grapes—Ordinary 50@75; Muscat 50@75.

Pears—Common 40; fancy 100; Bartlett 50@100.

Peaches—Common 55; fancy 100.

Plums—Common 50; fancy 100.

Oranges—Valencia 325@450.

Mexican limes—600@650.

Lemons—Common California 200; fancy 600.

Melons—Watermelons 75@225; nutmegs 35@65; fancy cantaloupes 150; common 125.

Tropical fruits—Bananas 75@150; pineapples 100@250.

Beans—Pink 400@410; Lima 540@560; small white 400@440; large white 420@450.

Potatoes—Salinas Burbanks 125@135; Merced Sweets 175@200.

Onions—Fancy 70; common 60.

Various—Green peas 5½@6; string beans 1½@2½; egg plant 40@75; green peppers 35@50; tomatoes 25@75; summer squash 25@40; garlic 2@4; cucumbers 25@50.

Butter—Fancy creamery 33; Seconds 29½.

Cheese—New 12½@14; Young America 13@16.

Eggs—Ranch 36½.

Poultry—Roosters, old 400; roosters, young 600@700; broilers, small 300@400; broilers, large 400@450; fryers 550@600; hens 400@1000; ducks, old 300@400; ducks, young 400@600; geese 200@300; pigeons, old 150; pigeons, young 150.

Flour—Family extras 540@550; bakers' extras 465@520; Oregon and Washington 450.

Wheat—Shipping 155@157½.

Barley—Feed 147½.

Oats—Red 170@175; white 165@170; black 205@207½.

Millstuffs—Middlings 3500@3600; rolled barley 3000@3100; cut grants 480; rolled oats 4100@4200.

Hay—Wheat 2100@2250; wheat and oat 1900@2000; oat, wild 1300@1600; oat, tame 1500@1850; alfalfa 1100@1250; straw 35@65.

Receipts—Flour 7773; wheat 2400; barley 4795; oats 1876; potatoes 2358; middlings 200; hay 833; straw 5; hops 55; hides 697; wine 43,300.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Wheat steady; December $1.50 bid, $1.54 asked.

Barley firm; December $1.45; May $1.48.

EASTERN QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Evaporated apples quiet and easier fancy 8 3-4@9 1-4; choice 7 3-4@8-1-2; prime 6 3-4@7 1-2.

Prunes steady; apricots firm; peaches quiet. Raisins quiet and steady.

NEW YORK.—Raw sugar firm; Muscovado 89 test $3.86; centrifugal 96 test $4.36; molasses 89 test $3.61; refined steady.

ST. LOUIS.—Wool steady; medium grades combing and clothing 23½@26; light fine 19@21; heavy fine 13@15; tub washed 28@35.

CHICAGO.—Wheat prices rose today in response to statements that the growing crop in Germany was suffering severely from unfavorable weather. Official reports estimated the Prussian yield as 8,000,000 bushels less than last year. Word came also that Argentine stocks were decreasing. December started at 90½ to 90¾c, a gain of ⅛ to ¾c and advanced to 91⅛c.

Smallness of offerings made the corn market burden. December opened a shade to ⅛c higher at 71⅝@¾, to 61⅞ and climbed to 62@62⅛.

Shorts buying put firmness into oats. December opened ⅛ dearer at 32¼ and ascended to 32⅜.

Packers seemed to be supporting October provisions and selling January. First transactions ranged from 2½ lower to 5 advance with January $10.60 for pork, $10.57½ for lard and $10@12½ for ribs.

CHICAGO.—Cattle: Receipts 2000; market dull, weak; beeves 575@1000; Texas steers 475@640; Western steers 575@930; stockers and feeders 425@700; cows and heifers 300@500; calves 800@1150.

Hogs—Receipts 11,000; market steady to 5c higher; light 840@900; mixed $10@896; heavy 790@820; rough 790@810; pigs 550@825; bulk of sales 830@880.

Sheep—Receipts—10,000; market steady native 350@460; Western 380@460; yearlings 470@555; lambs, native 455@765; Western 500@770.

THE NEW YORK STOCK MARKETS

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Trading in the first three hours on the Stock Exchange under 100 shares and the total output was the smallest in a fortnight. The money situation was less obstructive as a factor, call loans touching their highest figure at 5 per cent as against 5 1-2 yesterday and day before. There was some further calling of loans, a result of the week's steady cash outflow, estimated at between $7,000,000 and $9,000,000. For the greater part of day the movement of stocks was in keeping with the dullness. In the last hour, however, the list moved upward to a level well above yesterday's final quotations.

Among the few features of decided strength were Louisville and Nashville and Southern Railway preferred. The rise in the latter stock came shortly before the announcement that the directors had restored the dividend to the 5 per cent rate which prevailed for the five years preceding the panic of 1907.

Other issues that rose a point or more included Seaboard Air Line, St. Louis, Southeastern, Consolidated Gas, General Electric and some of the tobacco group.

London was a purchaser here of about 15,000 shares, chiefly steel and Amalgamated Copper. Greater firmness was reported from Paris and Berlin.

Bonds were irregular but tending lower. Total sales par value aggregated $1,025,000.

U. S. 3s and 4s advanced 1-4 per cent on call.

WEEKLY REVIEW OF COUNTRY'S TRADE

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—R. G. Dun and Company's weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

Record breaking crops and the production of iron, steel, copper and other products have created a conviction that the advance toward complete restoration of industrial and mercantile prosperity is sure and permanent. The principal obstacles to that advance are not disputes over the economic theories but shortages in money, in labor and in transportation facilities.

New orders in iron and steel are in excess of the output, and producers are busier than at any other period in two years. The latest statement of the leading interests showed a gain of over 206,000 tons in unfilled contracts which indicates that heavy bookings are being made for next year. There is a growing scarcity of crude steel material and odd lots are commanding a premium.

In finished lines foreign business is a feature.

The general situation in the dry goods markets shows further improvement. Numerous urgent re-orders are reported in woolens and worsteds and many mills are so busy that they cannot meet the new business tendered. Almost all kinds of goods are in request and in spite of the higher prices the manufacturing outlook has seldom been better. Optimism continues to prevail throughout the footwear market. The high prices demanded by tanners for all varieties of leather appear to have exerted a retarding influence and a few large sales of sole or upper stock have been reported during the week. There is no decrease in the strength of all varieties of hides and skins, and while business is less active than formerly it is mainly because stocks have been closely cleaned up.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Trade has lost none of its wonted vim and activity abounds, though it is modified in a degree in some parts of the southwest, where excessive heat has prevailed, while being accentuated throughout the west and northwest.

Everywhere buying is predicted on the uniformly good influences that record or close to record crops will generate, and financiers, merchants and captains of industry are exceedingly optimistic.

Activity is not confined to any particular line of locality, though of course the pace is more conspicuous in some than in others, notably the northwest, where sales are of record volume, and even the south is joining in the general movement.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending September 12, were 234 against 191 last week, 219 in the like week of 1911, 210 in 1910, 195 in 1909 and 266 in 1908.

Business failures in Canada for the week number 28, which contrasts with 20 last week and 29 in the like week of 1911.

Wheat, including flour exports, from the United States and Canada for the week ending September 12, aggregate 4,161,600 bushels against 4,481,700 last week and 3,369,900 this week last year.

Corn exports for the week were 51,000 bushels against 45,000 bushels last week and 783,000 in 1911.

RECORDED DEEDS

City Land company to Union Trust Company of San Francisco Lots 17-22, city block 262. Land company heretofore had entered into a contract with Louis Scholler for the sale of the above lots, said contract having been reassigned to the company, purchase price fully paid and deed issued to trust company.

C. W. and Bessie L. Jones to Walter L. Chappell Lot 8 and west half of 2, Block C of Blackstone Park, subject to $1000 mortgage, also Lot 13 of Camy Place of 5 acres subject to $700 mortgage.

Trinity Armenian church of Fresno to Alexander Wollert Lots 5-10 in city block 226, Wollert giving mortgage for $1000 at 8 per cent payable before November 1, 1912.

Ida S. M. York, formerly Miller, to Mrs. Harriet R. Dake of Sonoma Lot 14 and south 10 feet of Lot 16 Block 3 of Banta's addition.

Johannes and Annie Scharf to Jacob Varath Lots 5 and 6 Block 4 of Peter's addition.

William Slack of Chicago, Ill., for $2500 to Carl Schougaard Lots 3 and 4 in city block 136.

Alfred and Theresa Bartlett to G. S. Taylor described portion of Lot 27, Block 1 of Bartlett Heights.

Ellen Peat to Henry Peat Lot 29 and N. 1-3 of and off Lot 28 of Kroeger's addition.

Daniel and Fannie E. Beery to Emil Schultz Lots 9 and 10 of Beery tract.

Henry and Clara Gede to C. F. Baker W.½ of Lot 7 Block A of Terry tract.

OUTSIDE PROPERTY

San Joaquin Land and Mortgage company to A. W. Johnson W.½ of S.W.¼ of N.E.¼ of S.W.¼ of 14-16-19 with 20 foot right of way reserved along west and south lines of W.½ of S.W.¼, 20 feet adjoining north line of above 120 acres and 20 feet along east line of N. E.¼ of S.W.¼.

Lee L. and Blanche V. Gray to A. O. Warner Lots 6 and 7 of Easterby Ranchos, Sacramento bank releasing deed of trust indebtedness of February 9, 1907, of Gray as successor of Elizir Wright.

Morey Pierson of Washtenaw, Mich., to John F. Martin N.E.¼ of 32-15-19 subject to S. H. Mitchell and Thomas Boyd's $2400 mortgages.

John and Lou Baley to John J. Fly of Tulare 2 acres in southwest corner of S. W.¼ of 11-12-22.

Margaret and James Cullen to Henry Flock Lot 32 of 10 acres of M. & L. subdivision of 17-21-13.

Albina B. Pennington to Wilber W. Mason W.½ of S.W.¼ and S.E.¼ of S. W.¼ of 18-14-25.

UNDER MORTGAGE

Calvin and Garda H. Pearson to Fannie Levy as guardian N.E.¼ of S.E.¼ of 34-15-19 for $2500 for 3 years at 8 per cent, and to Bertha and Louis Levy of Alameda as trustees S.E.¼ of S.E.¼ for $2350 on like conditions.

Hillcrove Orange company to Max Dignter of Piedmont, Cal., Lots 23 and 24 of Mount Campbell orange tract for $5000 for 3 years at 7½ per cent, Arthur J. Hill, president, and Lewis H. Smith secretary.

A. W. and Effie A. Johnson to San Joaquin Land and Mortgage company W.½ of S.W.¼ and N.E.¼ of S.W.¼ of 14-16-16 for $6333.33 for 4 years at 6 per cent.

WEST SIDE LEASE

H. A. Adams leases under date of February 1, 1912, to Paul Rebhozl and A. Crotti all alfalfa land at Caruthers west of fence running north and south and west of the house in section 35-16-15 of 260 acres for 5 years for $14,040 payable in quarterly advances of $760.

CONTRACT TO SELL

Walter Whitney agrees to sell to C. K. Kasparian Lot 12 and S.E.¼ of Lot 11 in city block 121 for $2100, last payment of $1100 before 3 years at 8 per cent.

RIGHT OF WAY

Emma L. Bradfield, formerly Durham, to correctly describe right of way conveyance to county deeds 20 foot strip off west side of W.½ of S.E.¼ of 14-16-21.

CREAMERY BUTTER TO GO UP 5 CENTS TODAY

New Prices Are 45 and 85 Cents; Colony Butter Remains Steady

When the local market opens this morning, butter will show an increase of 5 cents a pound. The advance was announced yesterday morning, but will not become effective until today. The new prices are 45 cents a pound or $5 cents a roll. Ranch eggs remain steady at 35 cents a dozen, or two dozen for 65 cents. Colony butter is the same, and sugar is firm at $6.25 a hundred pounds. Fruits and vegetables continue to show activity.

RETAIL MARKETS

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Gray Apples—4c a lb.; box $1.35.
R. F. apples—6c a lb.; box $1.35.
Artichokes—3 for 15c.
Green string beans—5c a lb.
Green limun beans—10c a lb.
Cucumbers—1c each.
Bananas—30c dozen.
Cocoanuts—15c each.
Cabbage—3c lb.
Cauliflower—15c each.
Carrots—2 bunches for 5c.
Cantaloupes—3 for 5c, 5c, 10c.
Casaba melons—20c, 25c each.
Cushaws—15c, 20c, 25c each.
Celery—10c bunch.
Dry herbs—5c bunch.
Egg plant—4c lb.
Figs—5c lb.; 4c by box.
Cal. Figs—7c lb., 6c by box.
Garlic—15c lb.
Grapes—15c basket.
Concord grapes—5c lb.
Grape fruit—500 dozen.
H. R. root—25c lb.
Lemons—25c dozen.
Lettuce—5c head.
Chickory lettuce—5c head.
Onions—2c lb.
Pears—15c lb.
Oranges—500 dozen.
Plums—4c lb.
Peaches—15c basket.
Cling peaches—75c box.
Peppers, bell—5c lb.
Peppers, Chili—10c lb.
Green peas—10c lb.
Parsley—5c bunch.
Pears—4c lb.; box, $1.25.
Pineapples—35c each.
Spuds—18 lbs., 25c; 35 lbs., 50c; sack, $1.60.
Sweet spuds—7 lbs., 25c.
Squash—3c lb.
Quinces—6c lb.; box $1.75.
Sprouts—10c lb.
Tomatoes—10c basket; box 75c.

MILLSTUFFS

Egyptian corn—Cwt. $2.25.
Red barley—Sack $1.45; ton $34.
Whole barley—Cwt. $1.70; ton $32.
Bran—Sack $1.00; ton $31.
Indian corn—Cwt. $2.25; ton $44.
Cracked corn—Cwt. $2.50; ton $48.
Calfalfa meal—Sack $1.25; ton $24.
Middlings—Sack $1.75; ton $35.
Oats—Cwt. $2.10; ton $42.
Wheat—Cwt. $1.85; ton $36.
Cracked wheat—Cwt. $2.35; ton $46.
Flour—Sack, $1.60.
10 lbs. corn meal, 40c.
10 lbs. graham flour, 40c.
10 lbs. rye meal, 45c.
10 lbs. rye flour, 45c.
10 lbs. buckwheat flour—50c.
10 lbs. oat meal, 55c.
Sugar—$6.25 hundred.

BUTTER, EGGS AND HONEY

Creamery butter—45c lb; 85c roll.
Colony butter—30c lb.; 60c roll.
Eggs—35c dozen; 2 dozen for 65c.
Honey—15c lb.

FRESH MEATS

Roast—12c to 22c lb.
Mutton—10c to 20c lb.
Lamb—12½c to 25c lb.
Veal—12½c to 20c lb.
Pork—15c to 30c lb.
Round steak—15c lb.
Chuck steak—15c lb.
Sirloin steak—22c lb.
Porterhouse steak—25c lb.
Lard in bulk—17c to 19c lb.
Lard in quantity—15c to 15c lb.

DRESSED STOCK

Steers—9c to 10c.
Cows—8½c to 9c.
Veal—8c to 10c.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 13.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley: Fair on Saturday, continued warm; light west winds.

FATAL COLLISION ON LOS ANGELES LINE

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 13.—One man lost his life and sixteen others were more or less seriously injured today when a suburban electric car turned over at Venice, while rounding a sharp curve at high speed. The car was outbound from Los Angeles. According to the passengers, the brake of the car would not work and owing to the high speed it could not keep the rails when it struck the curve.

J. S. Lloyd of Venice, the man who lost his life, died on the way to a hospital.

TWO INJURED IN FLIGHT

DRESDEN, Saxony, Sept. 13.—A military aeroplane accident occurred today in which two German officers were injured. One sustained a broken leg and the other suffered a broken arm.

ALL RUPTURES ARE BAD.

No rupture is good. If you are afflicted, see Smith Bros., the druggists, who make a specialty of truss fitting.

Fruit Pickers' Tally Tags at Republican Job Printing Office.

LEGAL NOTICES

DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE

Fresno City Water Company, a corporation. Location of principal place of business, Fresno, California.

Notice: There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment of ten per cent levied on the eighteenth day of July, 1912, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective stockholders as follows, to-wit:

Name	No. of Cert.	No. of Sh'r's.	Amt.
American Investment Trust Co. Limited	120	50	$ 500.00
Mrs. M. A. Marriage Allen	126	2	20.00
Charles Burlingham	128	2	20.00
Charles Burlingham	136	10	100.00
Charles Burlingham	147	16	160.00
Miss S. A. Burlingham	129	2	20.00
Miss E. M. Burlingham	131	2	20.00
W. N. Burlingham	133	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	25	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	26	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	27	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	28	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	18	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	51	2	20.00
W. J. Curtis	75	3	40.00
W. J. Curtis	87	4	40.00
Charles W. Cutter	136	10	100.00
DeCoppet & Doremus	116	10	100.00
Foreign & Colonial Inv. Trust Company Ltd.	144	50	500.00
The Gas, Water & Gen'l. Inv. Trust Ltd.	117	20	200.00
Government Stock & Other Sec. Inv. Ltd.	128	20	200.00
J. Frank Hinckley	160	2	20.00
Mrs. Geo. P. Hinckley	159	2	20.00
Industrial & General Trust Co. Ltd.	124	20	200.00
Henry Saymour King & Francis McKenzie Ogilvy	140	24	240.00
Municipal Trust Company Ltd.	121	150	1500.00
Northern Counties Investment Trust Ltd.	142	60	600.00
Omnium Investment Company Ltd.	122	20	200.00
Mrs. Francis Osborne	127	2	20.00
James Theodore Richardson	135	2	20.00
Richard B. Shewell	125	2	20.00
C. F. Street	137	2	20.00
C. F. Street	133	2	20.00
C. F. Street	138	2	20.00
W. Shaw Warren	148	2	20.00
Mary E. Walker Estate, F. H. Gilson, Admn.	157	4	40.00

And in accordance with law and an order of the board of directors made on the 16th day of July, 1912, so many shares of each parcel of stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company at 1801 Tulare Street, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, on the 23th day of September, 1912, at two o'clock p. m. of said day, to pay the said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

W. E. DURFEY,
Secretary Fresno City Water Company, a corporation, 1801 Tulare Street, Fresno, California.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT

Office of Coalinga North Pole Oil Company, a corporation.

Coalinga North Pole Oil Co., location of the principal place of business, City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at meeting of the directors of the Coalinga North Pole Oil Co., held on the 22nd day of August, 1912, that an assessment of 8c per share was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the above named corporation, payable on or before the 23rd day of September, 1912, to the undersigned Secretary of the Coalinga North Pole Oil Co., at the office of said secretary at 1238 K Street, in the City of Fresno, any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the said 23rd day of September, 1912, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 8th day of October, 1912, to pay the delinquent assessment together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

Dated August 22, 1912.

L. W. WILSON,
Secretary of Coalinga North Pole Oil Company, office at No. 1238 K Street, Fresno City, California.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

The Board of Trustees of Page School District invite sealed bids for the construction of the new school building in said district, to be located on a site to be selected by said Board, adjacent to the old school building in said district. Said building shall be constructed according to plans and specifications therefor, drawn and compiled by Architects Thayer, Parker & Kenyon, 112 Forsyth Building, Fresno, Cal. Said bids may be left at the office of the architects aforesaid, and the same shall be opened at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. on the 30th day of September, 1912.

The contract for the construction of said building shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, who must give such security for its faithful performance as said Board may require. Such contract and security must be in form and effect and in all respects satisfactory to said Board. Each bidder must accompany his bid by a certified check for ten per cent (10 per cent) of its amount as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into such contract and give such security. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids; and to award such contract subject to the sale and acceptance of the bonds of said district.

H. F. LEWIS,
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Page School District, Fresno Cal.
Sept. 14, 1912.

NOTICE TO PATRONS OF THE FRESNO CANAL & IRRIGATION COMPANY

The water rentals are now due and payable at the office, and notice is hereby given that the same are delinquent on September 30th, and thereafter penalties will be added.

FRESNO CANAL & IRRIGATION COMPANY.
By L. Montague Drew, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICES

FRESNO HOTEL COMPANY, A CORPORATION

Location of principal place of business, Fresno, California

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the board of directors, held on the 21st day of July, 1912, an assessment number two of ten dollars per share, or ten per cent on each share of stock, was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in lawful money of the United States to E. E. Manheim, secretary of said corporation, at the Farmers National Bank, in Fresno, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 14th day of September, 1912, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1912, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

E. E. MANHEIM,
Secretary, Fresno Hotel Company, a Corporation, Farmers National Bank, Fresno, California.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of W. J. Dickey, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Bernard Faymonville, E. A. Walrond and M. B. Harris, executors of the last will and testament of W. J. Dickey, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the executors, at the office of M. B. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, in the City of Fresno, Fresno County, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: August 21st, 1912.

BERNARD FAYMONVILLE,
E. A. WALROND,
M. B. HARRIS,
Executors of the last will and testament of W. J. Dickey, deceased.
E. M. Harris, attorney for executors.

Political Cards

VOTE FOR
J. J. MILEY
REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR SUPERVISOR 2ND DISTRICT.
Election November 5, 1912.

VOTE FOR
J. B. JOHNSON
(Incumbent)
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR SUPERVISOR THIRD DISTRICT
Election November 5, 1912.

H. Z. AUSTIN
(Incumbent)
NOMINEE FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.
Election Nov. 5, 1912.

VOTE FOR
M. D. HUFFMAN
(Incumbent.)
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR SUPERVISOR 2ND DISTRICT.
Election Nov. 5, 1912.

VOTE FOR
P. B. MILLETT
REPUBLICAN NOMINEE SUPERVISOR 3RD DISTRICT
Election Nov. 5th, 1912.

VOTE FOR
HERBERT F. BRIGGS
NOMINEE FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.
Election November 5, 1912.

VOTE FOR
GEO. L. WARLOW
NOMINEE FOR JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT
Election Nov. 5, 1912.

VOTE FOR
W. A. SUTHERLAND
REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR ASSEMBLY 51ST DISTRICT.
Election Nov. 5, 1912.

VOTE FOR
W. D. MITCHELL
(Incumbent.)
REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR SUPERVISOR, FIFTH DISTRICT.
Election Nov. 5th, 1912.

VOTE FOR
W. A. COLLINS
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR SUPERVISOR FIFTH DISTRICT.
Election Nov. 5th, 1912.

VOTE FOR
L. B. CARY
CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY 52ND ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.
Election Nov. 5, 1912

LEGAL NOTICES

DELINQUENT SALE NOTICE

John Kern Oil & Development Company. Location principal place of business, Fresno, California. Location of works, Section 21, Township 15, Range 12.

NOTICE.

There are delinquent upon the following described stock on account of Assessment No. 9 levied on the 29 day of July, 1912, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders as follows:

	Cert.	Shares	Amount	Cost	Total
Atkinson, J.	521	500	$25	$1	$26
Adams, M. J.	216	20	4	1	5
Adishian, John	301	500	25	1	26
Adishian, John	330	500	25	1	26
Adishian, Mary	305	500	25	1	26
Adishian, Martin	306	500	25	1	26
Cole, Lizzie	74	200	10	1	11
Cole, Lizzie	127	215	10.75	1	11.75
Cole, Lizzie	283	324	16.20	1	17.20
Cosgriff, E.	105	600	30	1	31
Carlton, F.	218	100	5	1	6
Carlton, F.	219	100	5	1	6
Carlton, F.	220	100	5	1	6
Carlton, F.	221	100	5	1	6
Carlton, F.	223	100	5	1	6
Carlton, F.	222	100	5	1	6
Carlton, F.	224	100	5	1	6
Cummings, J.	286	60	3	1	4
Dewell, C. W.	254	50	2.50	1	3.50
Dewell, C. W.	255	50	2.50	1	3.50
Dewell, C. W.	258	100	5	1	6
Dewell, C. W.	340	500	25	1	26
Dewell, C. W.	375	120	6	1	7
Firth, Mrs. E.	519	50	2.50	1	3.50
Griffith, G. A.	431	442	22.10	1	23.10
Ickes, E. C.	64	300	15	1	16
Jaggars, E. W.	58	250	12.50	1	13.50
Leaderer, L.	41	100	5	1	6
Leaderer, Mr. L.	49	100	5	1	6
Larson, Jarg	174	200	10	1	11
Larson, Jarg	349	800	40	1	41
Larson, Jarg	371	800	40	1	41
Larsen, Wm.	175	100	5	1	6
Linstrom	257	100	5	1	6
Muldoon, P.	35	600	30	1	31
Marden, H.	452	150	7.50	1	7.50
Maloney, Jerry	507	100	5.00	1	6
McKay, S. W.	65	1240	62	1	63
McKay, S. W.	126	60	3	1	4
McKay, S. W.	323	100	5	1	6
Murry, J. C.	200	1000	50	1	51
Murry, J. C.	418	320	16	1	17
Murry, J. C.	466	50	2.50	1	3.50
Norton, S. W.	120	450	22.50	1	23.50
Norton, Ella	121	450	22.50	1	23.50
Packard, H.	337	500	25	1	26
Stewart, H.	299	80	4	1	5
Wickersham, A.	206	20	1	1	2
Wagenshauer, F.	493	200	10	1	11
Swift, L.	217	80	4	1	5
Legrand, J.	530	400	20	1	21
Johnson, M. S.	355	100	5	1	6

And in accordance with law and order of the Board of Directors made on the 20th day of July, 1912, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, Room 106, Forsyth Bldg., Fresno, Calif., on the 14th day of September, 1912, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day to pay said delinquent assessment, thereon together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. H. KELLY, Sect.

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Herbert Levy .... Asst. Cashier
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CAPITAL $500,000.00
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O. J. Woodward .... President
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Roy Pulliam .... Asst. Cashier
T. E. Mellen .... Asst. Cashier

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CAPITAL $150,000.00
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ST. AUGUSTINE'S ACADEMY, Fresno, Cal., a boarding school for young ladies and little girls. Classes will be resumed September 16. This institution affords superior educational advantages, classical, literary, commercial and music. The commodious building erected during the past year offers an added charm. For further particulars apply to Sister Superior.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE OF DELINQUENT STOCK.

Pacific Light & Power Corporation, principal place of business, Room 354 Pacific Electric Building, City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice: There is delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of Assessment No. 1 levied on the 5th day of July, 1912, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Name	No. Cert.	No. Sh'r's.	Amt.
John W. Anderson..	41	50	$ 250.00
Berthold Baruch ...	1	50	250.00
H. P. Baumgaertner	57	43000	215,000.00
Hulda Behrendt	25	10	50.00
A. A. Bouteil	45	25	125.00
H. R. Bowie	106	10000	50,000.00
H. R. Bowie	107	250	1,250.00
James Couzens	40	50	250.00
T. L. Duque	16	25	125.00
John S. Eastwood..	99	1000	5,000.00
John S. Eastwood...	100	1000	5,000.00
John S. Eastwood...	101	1000	5,000.00
John S. Eastwood...	102	1000	5,000.00
John S. Eastwood...	103	1000	5,000.00
John S. Eastwood...	104	400	2,000.00
Morris Fellheimer ...	32	10	50.00
Arthur C. L. Gies...	51	10	50.00
J. S. Gray	13	10	50.00
Adelaide Hellman ..	28	10	50.00
Theodore Luce	42	100	500.00
Theodore Luce	46	10	50.00
Theodore Luce	48	25	125.00
Theodore Luce	52	10	50.00
R. S. Masson	72	600	3,000.00
H. L. Monroe	47	25	125.00
G. Mosbacher	38	15	75.00
Katherine S. Neff...	34	50	250.00
Katherine S. Neff...	43	12	60.00
Sophie Newmark ...	97	15	75.00
John Nickerson, Jr..	19	50	250.00
Margaret B. Peck ..	164	10	50.00
Emma L. Schulze...	76	30	150.00
J. A. Scudder......	41	30	150.00
H. L. Stuart........	13	50	250.00
H. L. Stuart........	21	50	250.00
Eugene F. Williams.	31	50	250.00
Otto Weiss	209	100	500.00
Otto Weiss	210	100	500.00
Otto Weiss	211	100	500.00
Otto Weiss	212	60	300.00
Otto Weiss	213	100	500.00

And in accordance with law, and an order of the Board of Directors made on the 5th day of July, 1912, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary, will be sold, at the office of the corporation, Room 624 Pacific Electric Building, City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Friday, the 27th day of September, 1912, at 2 o'clock, p. m. of such day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

L. M. FARNHAM,
Secretary Pacific Light & Power Corporation, office, Room 628 Pacific Electric Building, corner of Sixth and Main Streets, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given to all parties concerned that the partnership heretofore existing between C. J. Fredell and W. C. Magnuson under the firm name of Fredell and Magnuson, and who were engaged in well-drilling at Caruthers, California, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that said business has been taken over by W. C. Magnuson, who is now the sole owner thereof. All accounts owing to the partnership will be collected by and should be paid to the said W. C. Magnuson, who will also pay all of the outstanding obligations of said partnership.

Dated at Caruthers, California, this 29th day of August, A. D. 1912.

C. J. FREDELL,
W. C. MAGNUSON.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE NO. 47

Office of Crescent Canal Company. Principal place of business, Wheatville, Fresno County, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 20th day of August, 1912, an assessment of one hundred ($100.00) dollars per share was levied upon the subscribed capital stock of the corporation payable on or before the 19th day of September, 1912, to the Secretary of said company at his office, at Wheatville, Fresno County, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 19th day of September, 1912, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction and unless payment is made before will be sold on Saturday, the 19th day of October, 1912, at 1 o'clock p. m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expense of sale.

E. J. GOODRICH, Secretary.

FOR RENT—Miscellaneous

PLACE for machine, furniture or [illegible] $3 per month. 1936 I.

FOR RENT—One section of good land for barley, 12 miles southwest of Fresno. Address G. L. Wishon, care Power Co., Fresno.

FOR RENT—Store room on car line, close to school, also horse and buggy. Address 450 Fresno Ave.

FOR RENT—Barn. 1045 P St.

FOR RENT, 5 ACRES, HOUSE, BARN 1½ acre orchard, garden fruit, water right, shade. Make offer on rent. H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., [illegible] J St.

FOR RENT—Pianos, [illegible] Phone 2023-R.

FOR RENT—In Hotel Artesia block, Hanford, Cal., two nice store rooms, either one suitable for drug store or any kind of business; fine location. Apply Hotel Artesia or Joe P. Bubb, Hanford, Cal.

STORE ROOM with large window, double doors, 40 feet deep, opposite $40 and $60 stores. I will rent for $30. 1391 I St.

FOR RENT—Modern stores in new building on corner of Fresno and I Sts. Radin & Kamp.

TO LEASE—Corner McKenzie and First street, two brick stores, excellent location for grocery store, butcher or bakery; fitted with shelving, counters and show cases; basement, three living rooms. Rent reasonable. Apply Pierce & Anderson or A. Bartlett, 3120 Tulare.

STOREROOM, 29x80, on Kern, and two offices facing street. Woodward Co.

FOR RENT—Centrally located store room. Inquire of SUNSET REALTY COMPANY, 1932 Mariposa St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR RENT—Three office rooms in Einstein Hall block. Apply to Louis Einstein.

OFFICE space for rent, at 1254 J St.

FOR RENT—Good barn, 1226 L street, apply, Webster Bros.

THINGS ON WHEELS

FOR SALE—Five passenger, two cylinder Buick in good condition. Price $175. Will call and demonstrate. C. H., Box 19, Republican.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Thor 1912 motorcycle with free engine, clutch spring, tandem, in first class condition. Inquire 1154 J St.

BUICK 5 passenger, 30 h. p. Trade for lots or small auto. 815 Jensen.

TWO passenger Ford roadster, first class condition, at a bargain. 2201 Ventura.

FOR SALE—Good surrey, well worth $60, for $30. G. B. Jones, Box 45, Route 10.

SECOND HAND AUTO in good condition. Will trade for lots in any part of the city.
STEBBINS & CO.,
1131 J St. Phone 276.

FOR SALE at a snap if taken at once, Pope-Hartford in first class condition. Engine castings etc. all in good state of repair. Over $600 just spent in fixing car. Enquire at Schultz Garage.

MAXWELL ROADSTER recently painted and overhauled. Schultz, 1232 I St.

WINTON five passenger, fully equipped self-starting six cylinder car, for $925. Original cost $3300. In best of shape.
One 1912 R. C. H. roadster, long stroke motor. Original price $870. Our price $500.
One E. M. F. 1911 touring car, fully equipped and just being newly painted excellent shape. $775.
ALL above cars in good condition. Prices made possible account favorable trades by us.
PIONEER AUTOMOBILE COMPANY, 1333 I St. Telephone 1101.

FOR SALE CHEAP—5 passenger E. M. F. automobile. Phone 254.

FOR SALE for cash or terms, or trade for good automobile, 2 lots in Kearney Boulevard Heights, free of debt. Box 151, Oilfields, Cal.

CHEAP 1912 Excelsior motorcycle, 4 horse power belt driven, full floating seat, Presto tank lamp, used two months. Warnekros Cyclery, 1046 I.

Musical Instructors

MUSIC LESSONS given by the hour. Fall term starts October 1st. Miss Hogue, 125 San Pablo or call Phone 1377 R.

MISS MAUD HOHMAN—Voice culture, tone placing a specialty. Studio 1152 Q St.

BELA PIRT, musical director of the Barton opera house, opens his violin studio in the Parlor Lecture club on the 16th of September. To make arrangements ring up 1429.

MRS. ELLA G BARTON, Piano Studio, 2019 San Joaquin St. Phone 2312 L.

MISS MARTHA SPRENGLE—Piano studio, 1115 T St. Phone 2374. Fall term, opens September 17.

PROF. JOHN LION, author of "Titanic", in memorial; violin, piano, clarionet. Studio 2315 Merced St.

MISS LEAH L. THOMAS, graduate of King's Conservatory. Piano Studio, 1562 J St. Phone 423.

ZOE N. GLASGOW—Voice and piano, studio 3126 Tuolumne, 729-R.

RUTH M. FORD, piano studio, 1255 I. St. Phone 811-L.

MRS. LILLIAN DILLABAUGH—Piano, 1524 Grant St., between Diana and [illegible]. Telephone.

DON FARDEE RIGGS—Voice, violin. Mrs. Riggs, voice. 1458 L St.

WILMOTH FLETCHER of King's Conservatory. Piano studio, 1395 P St. Phone 8304 R-3.

THEODORE S. IRWIN, graduate New England Conservatory Music, Boston. Organist, St. Paul's church. Science and Art of Pianoforte playing. Free classes Theory, Harmony, History. Studio 648 N St. Phone [illegible].

CONSERVATORY METHOD—My fall term for instruction in piano begins Monday, September 9th. Marguerite Fost, 1244 O.

OTTO KOCH—Piano tuning, repairing, regulating and polishing. Phone 1311. Phone 6 p. m. Residence 321 V.

MISS DOLORES DAHLHEIM, teacher of piano. 249 Effie St. Telephone Main 2820.

LADY PIANO TEACHER from the East wishes pupils, 50 cents per lesson, ragtime taught, the famous Christiansen method. 720 N. Phone 1428.

MISCELLANEOUS

"HOW I CURED MYSELF OF CONSUMPTION"—a booklet of priceless value to Tubercular sufferers. Absolutely free. Chas. F. Aycock, 711 International Bank Bldg., Los Angeles.

BALM OF FIGS REMEDIES CURE every form of female weakness and sterility by removing the cause. Send 2c stamp for 60c box of Balm free. Nuanan Blakey, 1521 Harvey. Tel. 2135-J.

SHEPHERD Maternity Sanitorium, 1707 Thirteen Ave., Oakland—Mothers and girls received; confinement; adoptions.

JERSEY bull kept for service, J. B. Hill's Hay Market, J. B. Hill Co.

CHILDREN—Abused, abandoned, neglected: received and placed for adoption in selected family homes. Full legal control. Return if not satisfactory. Children's Home Society of California, Miss Rebecca Goble, Dist. Supt., 1747 M St. Phone 2150.

PASTURAGE

FOR RENT, PASTURE—640 acres wild feed, part overflow. Good for horses, or cattle. Rent for six months, good wire fence, artesian water, also 260 acres, 40 ton stock hay for sale. Can be fed in pasture. Will sell together. Address Jas. W. McCord, 508 N. Douty St. Hanford, Calif. Phone 471-J

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—[illegible] team [illegible] horses, cheap for cash. Inquire 2511 Mono St.

HOUSE TO BE MOVED—A [illegible] house in [illegible].
EWING-McDANIEL CO., 1126 J St.

FOR SALE—Surrey, newly painted, in [illegible] condition. Price [illegible]. [illegible] miles out. C. Davis, Arizona Colony.

FOR SALE—[illegible] 2 [illegible] [illegible].

FOR SALE—[illegible] [illegible] retail and [illegible]. Phone [illegible].

NEW lumber $10. Flooring $18. Rustic $15. Shingles $1.50. Doors $1.00. Windows. Lists figured delivered at [illegible]. SWIFT & Co., 9th and Mission S. F.

FOR SALE—Pumpkins and watermelons, make fine hog feed. Apply at Fresno [illegible] office, 2111 Kern St.

FOR SALE—Complete Edison moving picture outfit, cheap. L. M., Box [illegible], Republican.

FAT Plymouth Rock hens 17 cts. lb., fryers 45 to 50c. each, delivered. Phone 2192.

FOR SALE—High grade violin, but little used. Call at 616 First St.

FOR SALE or trade for good motorcycle, horse, buggy and harness. C. D. James, Cedar Ave., Oleander.

FOR SALE—White Heath peaches, also almonds. Phone 8260 J-4.

NEW modern apartment house, 16 rooms. Apply owner, 363 Glenn Ave.

FOR SALE—Delivery wagon and harness. Apply 1539 Tulare St.

FOR SALE—Fancy plate glass show case with mirror, sliding doors, brackets for 7 shelves in sale lengths 8 feet, width 26 inches, height 32 inches. Address E. C., Box 8, Republican.

NOW is the time, Paris Art Studio is the place to have your pictures framed; neat, artistic and attractive. The place to get all colors, water colors, tapestry colors, artist supplies, wall paper, house paints, brushes, photo mailers, mailing tubes, mat boards and all kinds of novelty pictures, 1145 J St.

FOR SALE at sacrifice: $325 piano used only a few months. Must sell at once; will sell cheap. H. L., Box 40, Republican.

FOR SALE—20 h. p. Corliss engine and Atlas boiler, at Rosenberg Bros.' packing house at Selma. See Rosenberg Bros. Co. at Fresno.

FOR SALE—Second hand fruit trays in good condition. 3x8 feet. Apply J. A. Bono, Route 3, Bakersfield.

FOR SALE—Zinfandel grapes on vines. 15 acres, close Fresno. Phone 3391, or write S. A., Box 14, Republican.

FOR SALE—Choice White Heath canning peaches. Phone 8232 R 4. Delivered.

ORANGE TREES—Best kinds, guaranteed; inquire, write or phone. Y. Yamamitsaka, 1117 Kern. Phone China 41.

SECOND HAND sacks, like new; also good wine and vinegar barrels, all sizes, 714 J St. Phone 3030.

FRESNO FURNITURE CO.—Best bargain store in town, for new and slightly used good furniture. Phone 1865.

RUBBER TIRE buggy and single set of harness, good as new; cost when new $175. Will sell for $100. Inquire at Olaf's Warehouse.

FOR SALE, PIGEONS—To make room for young stock will sell a few pairs of breeders cheap. Phone 1341.

FURNITURE of five rooms for sale; house for rent, close in. Phone 2084 or B. C. box 8, Republican.

MORRIS CHAIR, buffet, desk, child's folding bed, high-chair. 1604 J St.

FOR SALE—Twin Merkel, just being overhauled, $100 buys it. Call at 752 H St. Phone 153.

WESTERN JUNK CO. pays highest prices for second-hand furniture; carries big supply of new furniture. 502 J. Tel. 537.

FOR SALE—Surrey and harness. Apply at 124 Clark St.

FOR SALE—Furniture at bargain prices paid highest prices for second hand furniture. 2118 Kern St. Phone 1845.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Young driving horse, buggy and harness 1026 N St. Phone 2565.

FAT young Plymouth Rock hen 17c. lb.; fryers 50c each delivered. Phone 2192.

FOR SALE—20 acre Muscat grapes on vines. Phone 2391. O. G. Farnsworth, 1924 Fresno.

S. P. FURNITURE CO—This is the house that saves your money. Phone 964; 1054 H St.

GAS ENGINES

Everyone can own a high grade rebuilt gas engine at the prices we ask, all makes, all sizes, all guaranteed:
4 h. p. Root & Van Der Mott, $100,
8 h. p. Sampson, $140.
10 h. p. Sampson, $150.
15 h. p. Sampson, $235.
20 h. p. Atlas Marine Type, $400.
25 h. p. Doak, $450.
60 h. p. Callahan, new, $1500.
And many others all complete with magnetos, spark coils, tanks, etc.
MECHANICAL INSTALLATION CO., Engineers, 159-2d St., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—One oak folding bed. Enquire, The Lyndhurst, 2520 Tulare St.

ALMOST NEW furniture of 15 room apartment house for sale; house for rent. 1730 J St. Phone 2154.

SECOND HAND sacks as good as new at half price and all kinds of bottles. 618 I St.

FOR SALE—20 acre crop of peaches and Thompson grapes. Apply 2 mile west of Roeding Park, Belmont ave., second house from Burley Ave.

FOR SALE—Choice tame oat hay. L. V. Fletcher, 125 S. Court, Visalia.

GET YOUR furniture at the Subway Furniture Store. There are always bargains. 1525 H St. H. P. Seeberg, prop.

FOR SALE—Empty half pigs feet barrels, 10c each. 1527 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Second hand buggies, wagons. W. J. O'Neill Co.

FOR SALE—Baling wire. J. B. Hill & Co., Fresno.

SEWING MACHINES

Ten cents a day will pay for a sewing machine, better buy one now. White Sewing Machine Store, 1254 J St., phone 1969.

NEW and second-hand furniture, clothes and all kinds of goods, bought, sold, exchanged. 533 I. Phone 599.

FOR SALE—All sizes standard water pipe and screw casings from ½ inch to 10 inches, guaranteed good as new, cheap for cash. Also valves and fittings. Weissbaum Pipe Works, 147 Eleventh St., San Francisco.

WE buy and sell and exchange second-hand furniture. 815 Eye St. Phone 1215.

ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED—From my home near Sanger, Cal., a black mare wearing leather halter, has a spearhead brand on one hip. When last seen was near Parlier. Any information as to her location will be appreciated by her owner, W. P. Caldwell, Sanger, Cal.

ESTRAYED—1 buckskin horse, weight about 900 lbs., spavin on right leg, scar in forehead. E. P. Ackley, R. 4, Box 67, Fresno.

ESTRAYED—Roan mare, 6 or 7 years old, weight about 1200, white spot on forehead. Notify Y. Kimura, 935 F St.

ESTRAYED—One bay and one gray on forehead, branded (3E) on left side with harness on. This happened on the night of August 10th an accident one mile from Fowler on Railroad Ave. A. Baird.

ESTAYED Aug. 6 red and white cow with strap on horns. Notify Grunz Vyd. Phone 8334 R4.

LOST—A mare and colt, the colt is same color as mare and is 3 months old. Address Rural Route 2 Box 46 Sanger.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

J. N. Sprouse attorney at law Short Building. 1032 J St., Phone 2974.

PATENT ATTORNEY — Francis C. Huebner, Room 17, Temple Bar Bldg.

FOR RENT—Houses

FOR RENT—[illegible] nicely furnished, Apply 152 [illegible].

FOR RENT—House, [illegible] per month, [illegible]. Inquire 1855 Thorne Av.

[illegible] ST.—Cottage of 5 rooms, [illegible] porch, barn, [illegible] $16.50 per month. Apply [illegible].

SIX ROOM house, [illegible]. Inquire 149 Fortheann, Phone [illegible].

[illegible] seven room [illegible] barn, in the north part of [illegible].

FOR RENT—[illegible].

FOR RENT—5 room house, [illegible] month, or will sell on [illegible] North part, 5 blocks [illegible]. H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., [illegible].

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room bungalow. Apply Mrs. Stone, 1725 J St.

FOR RENT—5 room modern cottage. Inquire 2540 Santa Clara St.

SMALL HOUSE, barn, furnished and barn to rent. No children. 455 J St.

THREE room modern bungalow, bath, porches, finished complete; near High School. 231 Effie.

FOR RENT—A cottage, corner Warner and Sumner. Phone 2058 Y.

FOR RENT—Five room house, 545 N St. Inquire 2521 Inyo St.

FOR RENT—Seven room house. Inquire M. D. Huffman, 565 Nielsen Ave.

FOR RENT—On Fresno Ave. at $21 per month, cottage 3 large rooms, large shady grounds, deep well, shed, corral. Inquire 2381 Thomas, corner Fresno.

FURNISHED HOUSE—5 rooms, 116 Diana St. Inquire 1st door north.

SIX ROOM modern house, 2556 Washington. Phone 1579, or Mosgrove's Jewelry Store, 1049 I.

FOR SALE—One acre, fenced, shade, 5-room house, barn, wind mill and tank. Bargain at $2500, $1000 cash. W. S. Johnson, room 208 Land Co. Bldg.

SIX ROOM modern house, 2576 Washington. Phone 1579 or Mosgrove's Jewelry Store, 1049 I.

FOR RENT—Ten room house, furnished, K and Calaveras. Phone 2756 or call 287 Blackstone for particulars.

FOR RENT—6 room house and bath, well located, apply Louis Hellbron, 1217 "J" St.

FOR RENT—Two 7 room, new first class dwellings on L St., three blocks north of Mariposa, in first class neighborhood; rent reasonable. Phone 1562. Anderson.

FOR RENT—House 6 rooms, corner L and Stanislaus. Inquire 1523 Mariposa St.

FOR RENT—A 5 room cottage all modern conveniences, neat and clean. Inquire 1372 P. No children.

TO RENT—7 room house, 1176 H St. Apply Hobbs-Parsons Co.

FOR RENT—house, 5 rooms, unfurnished, or partly furnished. 1527 M St.

THREE good plastered houses, good neighborhood; rent reasonable. Inquire 2030 Fresno St.

FOR RENT—Cottage or flat, modern. Phone 2116 1703 J St. W. J. O'Neil.

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, remodeled and newly painted. 2622 Mariposa St. Phone 2627 R.

CHOICELY FURNISHED 5 or 6-room cool brick flats, with sleeping porch and garage; moderate rent. Apply 3130 Tulare; telephone 3257

FOR RENT—Houses in various parts of city. Apply to H. C. B. Gill, 1929 Fresno St.

FOR RENT—Flats

NEW 4 room flat. No better in town. Call 1533 J street, or phone 8327-R-11.

FLATS, unfurnished, four rooms and bath, sleeping porch. Inquire 1308 P St.

FOR SALE—Stock

FOR SALE—Good steady team of work horses, cheap for cash. Inquire 2511 Mono St.

FOR SALE OR HIRE—4 reliable work horses, California and Isabella.

FOR SALE or trade for bull, a thorough bred Berkshire boar from best stock in state. H. H. McCutchan, North Ave. at Fruit, Fresno, Cal. R. 4, Box 97.

FOR SALE—Gentle pony for children. Corner San Joaquin and C St.

FOR SALE CHEAP—2 good gentle all purpose mares, 1 choice young Jersey Holstein cow, 1 brand new $85 road wagon, $65. 1295 Angus.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Gentle driving mare, 8 years old. L. H., Box 46, Republican.

FOR SALE—One Holstein bull. Call 8223 J-2.

AUCTION! AUCTION!

I WILL SELL Saturday, September 21, at 1:30 p. m., at the Great Western Stables, 742 I St., 40 head of horses and mules, shipped by Mr. Lightfoot. There are several well mated teams, some young stock, broke and unbroke, and 6 span of mules. This stock will be sold to the highest bidder and we guarantee all stock as represented; also will sell one 5 passenger automobile, all in good running order, well equipped and good tires. Car will be demonstrated day of sale. Must sell; no reserve. D. R. Lightfoot, owner. L. Bray, auctioneer.

FOR SALE—One cow, one horse and laying hens. Inquire Wakefield & Son, grocery store, corner M and Fresno St.

AUCTION SALE! AUCTION SALE! Saturday, September 14th, at 1:30 p. m. at 826 I St.

2 Horses, mares and 4 mules, 5 head of heifers and 1 Holstein bull, 4 sets of single harness, 2 double harness, 3 spring wagons, 1 buggy, 2 riding saddles. This stock is to be sold without reserve or limit. Outside stock sold on commission. A. Mills, livestock auctioneer.

FOR SALE—3 horses, cheap. Phone 717.

FOR SALE—7 head of horses and 2 mules, 1 spring wagon good as new, for sale cheap. Come and see the stock. Ventura Stables, 605 J St. Phone 565.

CHEAP—12 head good milch cows, small payment down, balance like a gift. Also one De Laval No. 12 separator, almost new.

R. S. THOMPSON CO.,
[illegible] Street, Room 3. Phone 159.

FOR SALE—4 good heavy work mules, [illegible].

4 Lead horses for sale cheap, works single or double. 802 J.

FOR SALE—10 good work horses cheap. Must be sold at once. Inquire W. [illegible] Co.

FOR SALE—Mare and 2 colts, 4 and 16 months old; buggy and harness cheap. John Reid, Kerman.

FOR SALE—High grade fresh Jersey cow. 1527 El Dorado St.

FOR SALE—have 2 of the best 5 year old Jacks in the county, that took blue ribbons. We now offer one of them for sale. Come and see them at the Helm vineyard, 4 miles northeast Fresno, or address Hans Munson, R. 2, Box 101 Fresno.

FOR SALE—2 bay horses, 4 and 5 years old, 16 hands high, 1200 lbs each. Broke single and double. Also new spring wagon and harness. Phone 1219.

Poultry and Pet Stock

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock hens and fryers. 802 Fortheann.

FOR SALE—White rabbits for pets, Belgian hares for table. 2970 Washington Ave.

150 PLYMOUTH ROCK spring chickens and 60 Plymouth Rock hens for sale on the Gartenlaub ranch on McCall road. Apply C. A. Larsen, Sub. 25 Fowler.

FOR MORE EGGS use Dr. Hess' "Panacea". Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. Lyons-Morgan Co.

FINE Bull Terrier puppies for sale at Lincoln St., near first and Belmont St. Phone 2775. Inquire at Grocery store.

FOR RENT—Rooms

SUITE of furnished [illegible] [illegible], first floor. 1 [illegible] K.

FOR RENT—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible], 925 N St.

THREE [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

FOR RENT—Some [illegible] housekeeping rooms at 1411 J St.

NEWLY furnished upstairs rooms, bath, [illegible] water, across from High school, [illegible].

FOR RENT—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

FOR RENT—[illegible] [illegible] Blackstone Ave.

[illegible] front room [illegible] [illegible] board, call [illegible].

FURNISHED house-keeping rooms, [illegible] [illegible] from [illegible].

FURNISHED front room [illegible] [illegible], convenient to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 1266 Arnold St.

FURNISHED ROOM with bath, private house, 837 [illegible]. Phone 2412 [illegible].

THREE furnished housekeeping rooms. 130 Diamond St.

THREE nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, two blocks from court house. 1146 O St.

FOR RENT—Furnished three or four rooms, near car line. Apply 858 Inez St. No children. Mrs. Cartwright.

FOR RENT—Nice housekeeping rooms with bath. 120 Valeria St. Phone 1925.

PLEASANT front room in new bungalow, two blocks from High School; also furnished three room cottage in rear of same bungalow, both pleasant living quarters for lady teachers or girl students. 255 Effie St. Tel. 2352.

FURNISHED and unfurnished, go to the Blackstone Apartment House, 501 Blackstone Ave., for nice cozy apartments; everything new and clean.

ELEGANT front room and alcove, all newly papered, with running water and all conveniences, at The [illegible], 810 N St.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, gas, electricity and bath, close in. 2222 Tuolumne St.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 333 Blackstone.

FOUR furnished rooms, 310 Blackstone Ave.; electric lights, bath.

TWO room furnished apartment in exchange for janitor service. 1121 K St. Apartment 4.

SAN MAURICE, 1121 K— Housekeeping apartments completely furnished, two and three rooms.

ST. REGIS—newly furnished and up-to-date rooms. Hot and cold water. 1115 I St., Phone 826.

LARGE front room, private family, bath and running water. Phone 1281.

COOL transient rooms, housekeeping rooms, Hotel Bennett, Kern and M. Phone 1954.

FOUR housekeeping rooms, suitable for 4 adults, $25 for winter; near High school. 2112 Stanislaus.

A PLEASANTLY SITUATED front room 755 J St.

FOR RENT—One furnished front room. 178 Blackstone.

UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms, 1240 Fresno St. Old Library Bldg.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room for gentlemen only. Apply 959 K St.

FOR RENT—Nice clean rooms, close in. 1805 J.

FOR RENT—One large cool room furnished complete for housekeeping, gas and telephone. $10 per month. 1763 G.

FOR RENT—Upstairs, 6 rooms, suitable for business. 1521 Mariposa St.

ELEGANTLY FURNISHED room, private bath; housekeeping rooms, private home. 1904 I. Phone 1221.

TO LET—Cool, nicely furnished room, connected with bath. 1729 K St.

ROOMS with bath and cool dining room. 1563 J St.

4 Housekeeping rooms, $10; 315 Sarah St.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room with phone for one or two gentlemen. Apply 644 K st.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms and single rooms. $12 a month, 1452 K.

NEWLY furnished rooms at the Allen, day or week. 843 I St.

FURNISHED rooms, single and suites The Voorman, 1033 I, Phone 2210 J.

ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOM AND BOARD in private home for students; gentlemen preferred; home cooking; reasonable. Tel. 1651 Y.

NICE large front room, with board. 1129 L St.

LARGE light furnished front rooms with or without board. 275 Abby St., 1 block from car, 2 blocks from High school.

WANTED—Two lady students to board, terms reasonable. Inquire at 325 San Pablo. Phone 2322 J.

NICELY FURNISHED rooms, first class board; table boarders solicited. Apply 1526 J, Mrs. C. E. Pugley. Phone 3176.

FURNISHED rooms, table board first class home cooking. Call and see us. 1135 K St.

A NICE front bedroom and board for 2 young ladies. A good home near school. [illegible] Jensen Ave.

WANTED—Two young ladies to room and board, north part of city, 2 blocks from car. 827 Jensen Ave.

TWO young ladies to room and board at 206 Valeria. Phone 3219.

NICELY furnished front room with or without board, for [illegible]. 1914 Amador.

TEACHERS—Excellent room and board with private family. Splendid location. Call at 2140 Tulare St.

TWO nicely furnished rooms to let to parties who will board with me. 945 N St. Use of phone and bath free.

THE PALMS—Board and room with bath, cool dining room. 1362 J St.

SELECT board and rooms, corner N and Tulare. Reference required. Terms reasonable.

ROOMS with board, also table boarders, home cooking. 1729 K.

NICE furnished rooms with board, suitable for two gentlemen. 1327 L St.

ROOM AND BOARD—Private bath, sleeping porches. 1194 O St. The Pologaurd.

LOST

LOST—Round amethyst pin set with pearls, valued as a keepsake. Return to 1624 Broadway, receive reward.

LOST—Lady's gold watch, initials J. P. F. on back. Phone 2333 Y, receive reward.

LOST—Pair of glasses in case with lead pencil. Please leave at Republican office.

LOST—Bunch of keys with Diamond Crystal Salt Co.'s tag attached. Please Phone 971.

LOST—A gent's watch, between Sanger and Fresno; white horse head on fob. Reward. P. W. McLerly, Sanger.

LOST—Green Savage bicycle, coaster brake, 20 inch frame, No. 5454. Reward. Notify J. W. Ross, 2561 McKenzie. Phone 837.

LOST—Small size Waltham watch. Exposition fob. Return to this office.

LOST—An open face silver watch with initials. Return to this office. Reward.

LOST—Man's coat, corner of Fresno and H Sts. Telephone Bell. Reward.

FOUND

FOUND—Gent's wheel on Kearney Ave. Owner may have same by describing. 25 Kearney Ave.

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—Holstein heifer about 2 years old. Corner North and Hughes.

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—[illegible] [illegible] to Fresno, [illegible] [illegible] woman to cook for [illegible]. Apply 1511 [illegible].

WANTED—Girl to do general housework, [illegible] family. Call morning, [illegible] Mineola.

WANTED—[illegible] [illegible] to care for child. Call at [illegible].

WANTED—Girl for light housework, 2 in family. 1621 S St.

GIRL for chamber work and help west [illegible]. 1452 L St.

WANTED—Girl to work at [illegible], [illegible] Kern St., between I and J.

WANTED—Young woman to work in a cracker department. Apply [illegible] [illegible] Co., Mariposa St. [illegible].

WANTED—A girl to help with general housework. 229 Abby.

WANTED—Girl, at once, to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

ANY LADY can earn $10.00 weekly home addressing, at your home, evenings. Books to ream to stores. Tells how. Hall Manufacturing Company, Washington, D. C.

LADY for light housekeeping and to care for two young children. J. H., Box [illegible], Republican.

WANTED—Girl for cooking and housework. Apply Y. W. C. A.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. John Meux, 1045 P St.

HIGH SCHOOL girl to assist morning and evening in exchange for good home. 415 Fresno Ave.

WANTED—Working housekeeper at Twin Pines. Address W. B. [illegible], Box 5a, Republican office whose application will be [illegible] Tuesday, September [illegible].

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. A. G. Wishon, 319 Forthcamp Ave. Phone 241.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework, family of three; no heavy washing; wages $25. Phone 2315.

WANTED—A good cook and general housework girl. Apply 2219 San Joaquin St.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Blanche Mitchell, 178 Blackstone.

WANTED—A young lady of neat appearance for hair dressing parlor; must be experienced in all lines. Give references. Address A. S., Box 46, Republican.

WANTED—A thoroughly competent girl for cooking and housework. Phone 1653; 1165 T St.

WANTED—An experienced cook. References required. Two in family, good wages. Apply 1626 S St.

WANTED—Young ladies as Long Distance or local operators. Salary paid while learning. Opportunity for advancement. Rest and lunch rooms and hospital quarters maintained by the company. Permanent employes desired. Apply District Traffic Chief, Telephone building, 2028 Tulare St., Fresno.

WANTED— Chambermaid at the Berkeley Hotel, 907 J St.

WANTED—A woman or girl for housework. Apply 407 Calaveras Ave.

WANTED—A young girl to act as nurse and assist in general housework. Apply between 9 and 12 a. m. 251 Van Ness Ave.

WANTED—A girl to do cooking and housework. Inquire 1407 K St.

WANTED—Woman about 35, no encumbrance, to go partners in chicken ranch; work against capital. Address N., Box 6, Republican.

COMPETENT GIRL for cooking and general housework. 365 Van Ness.

WANTED—Millinery apprentices. Apply at Einstein's Inc.

WANTED—Pupil nurses at once, classes beginning next month. Apply to Supt. Burnett Sanitarium. Fresno. Cal.

WANTED — Miscellaneous

WANTED— Unimproved acreage east of Fresno, close in, for cash. Send full description, location, etc. Agents will waste their time. A. B., Grand Central Hotel.

WANTED—Winter Nelis and Cycle pears. Call Fresno Fruit Growers' Co. 635.

WANTED—One to 30 good milch cows. Phone 8223 J-2.

WANTED—You to know that the best meals in town are being served at Davis Dairy Lunch, 2240 Tulare St.

WANTED—1000 men, women and children to eat at the new lunch and grill room at 2240 Tulare St.

WANTED—Children to care for by the day, week or month, 826 C St.

WANTED—Children to board by the day, 826 I St.

WANTED—Second hand piano, must be in first class condition; Steinway preferred. Give make, new, from whom purchased, style of case and general description with lowest cash price, F. O. B. your shipping point. Address Box 202, Reedley, Cal.

FRESNO JUNK CO. pays highest price for junk, second hand, standard water pipes and fittings, like new, for sale. 714 J St. Phone 3030.

WANTED—Contracts to bale hay, capacity 40 tons per day, machine press. All work guaranteed. Address M. P. Justy, 2918 Mariposa St., Fresno.

WANTED—Lease of furnished lodging house, give number of rooms and price to 718 Calloch St.

EMPIRE FURNITURE CO. pays highest prices for second hand furniture, also sells very reasonable. Try us and be convinced. 719 J St. Phone 2820.

FEATHER PARLOR—Willows made, repairing, cleaning, coloring; pompons for sale. 231 Effie. Phone 962.

WANTED—$300 worth second hand furniture, highest prices paid. 802 J St. Tel. 537.

CALIFORNIA Second-Hand and Junk Store will pay highest price for second-hand furniture. 718 I. Phone 324.

WANTED—Five or Six room furnished bungalow or cottage. Address Box 49, Republican.

L. ROSENBERG'S junk and second hand store, just received big supply of second, hand standard pipe of all sizes. Best cash prices paid for second hand furniture, gents' clothes or junk. 648 I St. Phone 863.

WANTED—Second-hand bicycles. Benson's Repair Shop, 2304 Tulare St. Umbrellas repaired.

WANTED—A few shares Marconi Wireless stock. State number of shares, kind, and lowest price in first letter. P. O. box 1952, Fresno.

POULTRY AND EGGS—Highest cash price paid. Valley Produce Co. Temporary office at Twomey's Warehouse, Fresno and G Sts.

Business Opportunities

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

My interest in a furniture business and residence property in city of Turlock. Will exchange for country property. For further information address Box 273, Turlock, Cal.

LOST rooming house in Coalinga, clearing $300 per month. Terms if desired. Address Box 803.

IF you are a hustler and can invest some money with us, will put you in touch with fine proposition. Address box 1067 Fresno.

FOR SALE—The furniture, equipment and lease of a well established first-class boarding house, near business center. Address M. N., Box 52, Republican.

FOR SALE Blacksmith shop in Centerville, well equipped with gasoline engine, band saw, drill and plenty of tools and stock; small dwelling house in good corner lot. Frank Konchura, Kings River, Cal.

FOR SALE—Good paying ice cream business very reasonable. Terms to suit purchaser. Will sell cheap for cash. M. T., Box 15, Republican.

FOR SALE—Furniture and lease of hotel California, corner of Merced and Eye St. Phone 244.

PRINTERS' INK PAYS

MEETING NOTICES

LAS PALMAS Lodge No. 366, F. & A. M. Stated meetings the 1st Thursdays of each month. S. E. Leas, W. M.; Ray W. Baker, Sec.

GEORGE A. CUSTER CIRCLE No. 13, ladies of G. A. R., meets first and third Saturday afternoons of each month at two o'clock, I. O. O. F. hall, corner Merced and I Sts. Laura Clark, President, Bessie Patterson, secretary.

ATLANTA POST, G. A. R., meets the first and third Saturdays of each month at 2 p. m. at Risley hall. Fresno St. All members in good standing are invited. J. D. Stone, Com.; J. R. [illegible], Adjt.

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], Republican.

WANTED—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

WANTED—[illegible]. Apply [illegible].

YOUNG MAN to learn [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. Better [illegible].

WANTED—Boy at the [illegible] [illegible] office, permanent [illegible] [illegible] the right boy. 1924 Mariposa St.

WANTED—A strong young man [illegible] driver of grocery wagon. [illegible] well [illegible]. Apply [illegible] [illegible].

START operating [illegible] [illegible].

WANTED—Carpenter, [illegible] [illegible]. [illegible] Tulare St.

TWO MEN to work on trains as news agents; big pay. Brown News Co., S. P. Depot.

WANTED—[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] to sell Patterson Irrigated Farms. We have [illegible] agents devoting their time to this work, making from $200 to $500 per month. Why not you? For particulars call on
[illegible] & CO.,
[illegible] J St., Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—A man with some experience in a furniture store. Apply 1916 Fresno St. Phone [illegible].

WANTED— Experienced grocery deliveryman, good salary for right party. Address Box 1281.

STRONG BOY over 16 for grocery store. Phone 1228.

ENERGETIC SALESMAN with established trade in San Joaquin valley (San Francisco to Bakersfield), to sell candy, manufactured by well known San Francisco house, as a side line, interesting proposition to right party. [illegible], Box 19, Republican.

WANTED— Teamsters for Fresno work, graders, etc., on large irrigation and reclamation work at Granada ranch, Tranquility, Fresno Co. Apply [illegible] Green, Tranquility, Fresno Co., Cal.

WANTED—Delivery boy. Call at 927 L St.

MESSENGER boys wanted. Apply the Western Union Telegraph Co.

WANTED—Young men with bicycles, steady position. Boys under 16 need not apply. Address T., Box 1, this office.

WANTED—Boy with bicycle. Apply at Einstein's.

WANTED—500 Mexicans for new railroad work; wages $1.35 day and board. 1643 Kern.

WE TEACH YOU A TRADE in a few months' time, at expense but your work. Electricity, automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying. 109 satisfied workmen [illegible]; 40 jobs going. Catalog free. United Trade School Contracting Co., Los Angeles.

MEN AND BOYS to learn automobile repairing, driving, up-to-date cars, electrical, civil engineering, surveying. Methods most practical. Place to work for room and board while learning. Positions secured; satisfaction guaranteed; catalog free. National School of Engineering, 2119 W. 7th St., Los Angeles.

WANTED—Young men to learn wireless at once. Good salaries. New law calls for many operators. For particulars address, F. S. Stone, 408 [illegible] St., Oakland, Cal.

RELIABLE help, male and female, go to Mrs. Smith, 832 I St. Phone 1303.

WRIGHT EMPLOYMENT CO., 901 H St., corner H and Kern. Phone 2012.

PEOPLE'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY—Male or female. 1033 J St.; phone 967.

GONZALO PARTIDA EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Men and women laborers of all classes furnished, Italian, Spanish and Mexican labor. 1543 Kern, corner of G. Telephone 965. P. O. Box 409.

MADSEN'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 1020 I; phone 1115. We solicit your patronage.

PAUL MAYER furnishes male help. H and Kern Sts.; phone Main 690.

WANTED—Situations

TWO stenographers wish positions. Address Box 25, Reedley, Telephone S. 39.

WANTED—By young man attending school, a steady Saturday job, two years' business experience; age 21, references. Phone 2895 R.

LADY STENOGRAPHER will offer free services one week in real estate office where there is a good chance for promotion. Write Stenographer, Box 24, Republican.

REGISTERED CHAUFFEUR with best of reference wishes steady position, 8 years' experience; can do own repairing. Address Ralph Gleason, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—Work in vineyards for 25 men. Phone 8292 J-1. Chat Farias.

WANTED—Set of books to write up evenings. Address H. L., Box 11, Republican.

WANTED—Work on ranch by man and wife, experienced in all kinds of ranch work; wife to do cooking. 2917 Ventura Ave.

SCHOOL BOY wants to do chores in home for room and board. Heald's Business College.

WANTED—Land to plow for the acre with "Caterpillar" traction engine. Address C. L. Elder, 725 N. Fresno Nevada St., Stockton, Cal.

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper in rooming house or hotel. Phone 2951.

WANTED—Position by man and woman; man chauffeur, woman as cook; man drives all makes of automobiles, does own repairing, with over twelve years' experience; woman first class cook; can serve card parties and luncheons. Both local references. A. B., Box P, Republican.

WANTED—Work by non-union carpenter and painter; good finisher. Phone 1553 Y.

AI ranch foreman would like a position, he and wife both capable people. 251 I St. Phone 1503.

WANTED—Nursing. Mrs. Baird, 1434 A Street.

MAN wants work by day or hour. 1621 Q St. or phone 2776.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING—Out by the day. Phone 758. Ring up after 6.

BABY CLOTHES ready made and made to order. 137 Valeria. Phone 1972.

KNIFE plaiting made, 1150 P St., Phone 2630 R.

EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER will sew in family; terms reasonable. Phone 1970 J.

DRESSMAKING and Plain Sewing neatly done. Miss L. Bruggeman, 1162 R St., phone 1710.

DENTISTS

DRS. REILLY & BEASER, dentists Rooms 141-142 Forsyth. Main 581, 311.

REAL ESTATE—City

$225 CASH
IMPOSSIBLE ! !
IMPOSSIBLE ! ! !
$225 CASH

That's what you will say when you see this one, but we are ready to verify every detail. Now listen. New 5 room bungalow on a corner 60x125, three blocks of car line. It has a concrete foundation, large concrete porch, fireplace, window seat, bath, screen porch, cellar and there is plenty of room for another house. Only $1800, and $225 cash is all you need. Balance like rent.
See Benton for Bungalows.
SUNSET REALTY CO., 1932 Mariposa St.

FINE CORNER HOME three blocks of Fourthcamp, lots 50x160, east frontage, nice lawn and shade, good garage large barn. A genuine snap at $2900. Terms.
Before buying see Benton.
SUNSET REALTY CO., 1932 Mariposa St.

BUY BELMONT LOTS
Two high lots on Belmont between Forthcamp and Blackstone. Fine location for a home. $500 each.
See Benton today.
SUNSET REALTY CO., 1932 Mariposa St.

C. W. JONES, of Chappell & Jones, has sold his interest in the firm to W. L. Chappell and Jones is now located with the Fresno Realty Syndicate, 1035 J St.

QUARTER BLOCK, Arlington Heights, between First and Second St., $1500.
Two San Pablo Ave lots, $50 cash, $15 per month, cement walks, cement curbs, etc.
Two corner lots in city limits facing Kearney. $500. Terms.
F. M. CHITTENDEN & CO., 2007 Mariposa St.

MODERN BUNGALOW, five cozy rooms bath, screen porch, complete cabinet kitchen, etc.; high ground, east part. Price $2500, $300 cash, $25 per month. This beats paying rent.
F. M. CHITTENDEN & CO., 2007 Mariposa St.

TWO LOTS 50x150, north of Olive Ave., and near Lucerne Studio. $500, $225 cash, P. O. Box 1111, Fresno, Cal.

LOTS!
Two Lots, Yosemite Ave., facing east, at $300 each.

Three Lots on Van Ness Ave., south of Olive. $1600.

65x150, corner of Lucerne Lane and Paloma, $900, $500 cash.

Modern new bungalow; sold like rent.
FRESNO REALTY SYNDICATE, 1035 J St. Phone 576.

$3100—On account of sickness, five room bungalow, just finished, never occupied, north part, ½ block from car line. An ideal home, bookcases, china closet, kitchen cabinets, cooler, hot and cold water, electric lights and gas, open plumbing, modern bath conveniences, sleeping porch. Owner offers guarantee to rebuy property at same price in twelve months. 37½x125; $300 cash, balance $30 per month. J. J. Harris, P. O. Box 53, Fresno, Cal.

FINE BUILDING SITE
One block from car line. Only vacant site in block; all new bungalows; street graded and curbed. sewer in. $950, $100 cash, balance $150 per year.
See Mr. Higinbotham, with
SIBLEY, HIGINBOTHAM & BELL, 1143 J St. Phone 1230.

$350 CASH will put you in immediate possession of a brand new bungalow one block from car line; five large and beautiful rooms, beautiful built in buffet, window seat, bookcases and a perfect marvel of kitchen; large screened sleeping porch with full length French doors; stationary laundry trays, large linen closet. $350 cash, long time on balance.
See Mr. Higinbotham, with
SIBLEY, HIGINBOTHAM & BELL, 1143 J St. Phone 1230.

$250 CASH will put you in possession of a fine five room cottage on good street, north part of town; splendid lawn and shade, built in buffet, screened porch and thoroughly modern in every respect. The balance to be paid $50 every six months.
See Mr. Higinbotham, with
SIBLEY, HIGINBOTHAM & BELL, 1143 J St. Phone 1230.

TULARE FRONTAGE
50 Feet on this business thoroughfare, almost adjoining new steel and brick structures, absolutely the nearest property to Rowell-Chandler building for sale; less than $300 per foot front, corners alley.

50 Feet on K. in midst of modern buildings; the only business frontage on K St. for sale. Price $240 per foot front. Terms.

50 Feet inside property on the busiest street in the city, adjoining new two story brick building; priced exceptionally low at $150 per foot. Buy today and sell tomorrow for more.

62½ Feet on L. close to business building blocks; one of biggest bargains in speculative property.
SIBLEY, HIGINBOTHAM & BELL, 1143 J St. Phone 1230.

THERE IS ABSOLUTELY no doubt, that we have the very finest list of new bungalows in Fresno today. Every listing has been personally inspected by us, and we are in a position to know the actual worth of each dwelling. Cash payments of $250 up will secure them.
See Mr. Higinbotham, with
SIBLEY, HIGINBOTHAM & BELL, 1143 J St. Phone 1230.

BARGAIN—Acre lot, good 5 room house, fruit trees, chicken yards and houses; windmill and tank. $150 cash, $15 month. This is the place you want.
R. S. THOMPSON CO., 1149 J St. Room 3. Phone 159.

A SNAP!
Brand new bungalow in north part of city ½ block from street car line, 4 rooms and sleeping porch, paneled dining room, built in bookcases, buffet kitchen and stationary wash trays, for only $1800. Small payment down, balance like rent.
STEBBINS & CO., 1134 J St. Phone 276.

FOR SALE—House on three corner lots, water, gas, shade, barn. Parties leaving town. Apply 2805 Thomas Ave.

FOR SALE—1 acre, 2 blocks from city limits, fine garden, fruit, pumping plant, 1 room house, hog and chicken corral, all for $2000. Terms. 2470 White Ave. Phone 2952.

FOR SALE CHEAP—2 lots south N St. Apply of owner, 2220 Merced.

FOR SALE by owner. Two fine lots and small house, close to Fresno St. car line. Easy terms. Small cash payment. Apply 215 Howard St.

BUNGALOW, new and cozy, five rooms, fine bath and sleeping porch, porcelain sink, hot water, flour bins, kitchenette, pass cupboard leading to nicely paneled dining room; built in book cases. Lot 50x150, all fenced; garage. North part town and a very good buy, $2500. Part cash and balance easy payments. Ask for Mr. Wolfe, Jr. with
FRESNO IMPROVED LAND COMPANY, 2039 Mariposa St. Telephone 456.

SWELL CORNER NEAR NORMAL SITE—60x125 feet, $375, 10 per cent cash, bargain.
5 LOTS, 5 ROOM HOUSE $1500
$400 cash, $160 every 6 months, 8 blocks from North Park car.
5 ROOM HOUSE NEAR CAR LINE
$100 cash, balance like rent, shade, city water, gas, sewer.
9 LOTS, HOUSE, BARN, SHADE, $1800
Fruit trees, fine location, $500 cash, balance like rent. Lights.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., 1125 J St.

VAN NESS AVE LOTS
50x160—Paved street, cement sidewalk, sewer, gas, electricity, city water all in and paid for. A snap at $1675. Easy terms.
STEBBINS & CO., 1134 J St.

FOR SALE—8 room house with most modern improvements, cement cellar and sidewalks, garage, fine garden; lots 60 feet frontage, excellent location. Price a snap, easy payments. Inquire Mrs. Trautwein, 1136 J St.

FOR SALE—Equity of 5 room bungalow, or will trade in on other city property. East Fresno. Inquire Frank Crane, County Hospital.

REAL ESTATE—City

FOR SALE—A bungalow 5 rooms and bath, all conveniences, near car line. $500 cash, balance easy terms. Phone 3250.

SIX ROOM modern cottage in north part, 2 lots, good shade, two blocks from school. Call 575 Poplar Ave. Phone 1064.

A NEW BUNGALOW, four rooms with sleeping porch, almost completed, ½ block from Blackstone car line. Price $1900, $600 cash, balance $20 month, 8 per cent interest. See owner. Phone 2191.

O. W. DAVIS, 1230 J St.
FOUR ROOM house and large screen porch, on Coast Ave., 2 large lots, all fenced. Fine location. $1650 buys it. Barely the price of the lots. $300 cash, balance $15 per month.
Four fine lots on West Ave., with four room house in the rear; concrete walks electric lights, city water, lawn, and trees all started. $1450, ⅓ cash, balance monthly.
I HAVE several fine bungalows on easy terms.
O. W. DAVIS, 1230 J.

$850—5 lots on Grant St. Terms.
H. G. PATTERSON, 1933 Fresno St.

ANOTHER BARGAIN
FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY
$650—Furniture and lease of 12 rooms near High school, rent cheap; every room rented. Terms cash.
H. G. PATTERSON, 1933 Fresno St.

ACRE LOTS—$25 cash, $10 month. See them.
R. S. THOMPSON CO., 1149 J St. Room 3. Phone 159.

SURE WAY TO MAKE $12,000 IN ONE year, buying 10 acres adjoining tracts, cut into 25 ft. lots with cement curbs and sidewalks. Address G. W., Box 30 Republican.

CHOICE LOTS in north part, near car line, each, $300.
2 fine lots Belmont near Fresno, $750.
GOOD 5 room hard finished house, near car barn, $1700.
CLOSE IN 6 room cottage, bath, sleeping porch, only $1600.
ATTRACTIVE new bungalow, near Forthcamp. $3200.
See J. M. Pickett, City Dept.
S. S. CRUTCHER & CO., 2029 Mariposa St.

IF YOU WANT a bargain in 2 lots only 100 feet from Van Ness Ave. on south side of Verde, call and make an offer, Owner says to force sale as he is pressed for ready cash.
DODSON-ORR REALTY CO., 924 J St. Phone 527.

FOR SALE —Two splendid residence building lots, one block from car line, City water, gas and electric lights, Each lot 50x150 ft.
See Mr. Levy at
PIERCE & ANDERSON, 1152 J St.

FOR SALE—40 acres near McKinley school house, $250 cash, nothing on principal for 10 years, only interest, A. D. Owen, 1054 J St.

NEW 5 room bungalow, screen porch, lawn, garden, polished and waxed floors, cement walks, fine bath, brick basement, inside entrance, strictly modern; 50 feet frontage, small payment down, easy terms and prices right.
H. L. HITCHCOCK
580 Angus, between White and Belmont

FOR SALE—1¼ acre on Forthcamp Ave. with nice 5 room house, right in the swell part of town, all the modern conveniences, water, light, gas and sewer; has Forthcamp frontage of 272 feet, lots of shade and flowers and above all lots of room. Price only $7800 and $1600 will swing the deal. This is a great investment as it will be your home while it is making you a fortune by increasing in value with the natural growth of the city. For further particulars apply of
GEORGE V. MARTIN, Exclusive Agent, 1111 J St.

A PRESENT OF $500
We are going to make some one a present of $500 on this modern cottage of 5 rooms, close in, on 2 full lots 50x150, with fine shade, lawn, fruit trees, etc., half block of cars. Owner is compelled to sacrifice this for $1750 on easy terms.
See Benton for Bargains.
SUNSET REALTY CO., 1932 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE—Two 50 foot adjoining lots in North Elmhurst. Make offer. Address R. M. box 8, Republican.

$5 down, $3 a week will buy you these 3 lots on the street car line, covered with trees and vines, $175 each, no interest.
GUY STOCKTON
Phone 2667 Room 2, 1921 Mariposa St.

W. W. STANFORTH, Real Estate, Notary Public. 1142 J St. Phone 521.

A SWELL LITTLE HOME
Six room bungalow, two full lots, hardwood panels, buffet, bookcases, all for $2100, $500 down, balance $20 a month.
JOHN DARLING, 1920 Fresno St.

SMALL HOUSE, shade and fruit, on corner, 90x175; $2500. Will exchange for small place near town.
Two choice building lots on Abby St.
Two nice lots in Arlington Heights, well located. $450.
CALL and see our large list of lots.
HARRIS-EULESS CO., Room 14, Republican Bldg.

WILSON LAND CO.
IF YOU contemplate buying see our list of houses, priced from $1750 to $7000. They are good and sold on easy terms. 500 nice lots, price and terms right.
WILSON LAND CO., 1033 J St. Phone 2398.

FOR SALE—2 lots on Belmont Ave., near Fresno. Inquire 2131 Belmont Ave.

FOR SALE
South N St., 6 room house, 4 lots, electricity and gas. Price $4200. Cash $1500, 2, 3, 4 years at 8 per cent.
Leon H. Camy, P. O. Box 467.

SMITH & CONNELLY.
BUNGALOW BARGAIN: Fine new 5 room bungalow in Fresno's exclusive residence district; paneled dining room, fine sun porch, built in buffet and bookcases, barn. Only $2100, $400 cash, balance like rent. See this.
$2700—Good 6 room cottage with fine shade, lawn, grape arbor, berries, barn and chicken house; house has fine large rooms with modern conveniences. Lovely home place. 1-3 cash, then balance $20 per month.
EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY: Owner forced to sell new 6 room bungalow ½ block from main car line; large paneled dining room, built in bookcases, fine bath and electric fixtures, stationary wash trays, most complete cabinet kitchen. Only $500 cash, balance $25 per month. Will trade for smaller place. What have you?
$3200—Fine shady home on Abby St., 6 rooms and bath, barn and chicken corrals, fine orange trees. A lovely home and only $500 down, balance by the month.
See Us For Bargains
SMITH & CONNELLY, 1140 J St. Phone 608.

CHOICE residence lots on Van Ness, the residence avenue of Fresno. Only $500, easy terms. Only a few left.
HABER BROS. CO., 1140 J St.

LOTS!
Look! Two fine lots near Belmont Ave. with curbing, cement sidewalks, fruit trees; sewer and water to be put in free. Only $550, $25 down, balance $10 per month.
Finest building site in Fresno, 2 swell lots 60x125 feet with curbing, sewer, city water and gas, ½ block to car line. $850. Terms.
Snap for $800—2 lots 60x125 feet on Mariposa Ave., all city improvements. Let us show you.
SMITH & CONNELLY, 1140 J St. Phone 608.

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS—Choice lots between Fourth and Fifth Sts. on Illinois. $250, $25 cash and $7.50 per month.
Attractive little home two blocks from city limits, two rooms paneled, lot 45x125, hard finish, brand new, $1100 on easy terms.
$1050—Four room house in good condition on two lots, Kleinhurst, almost new. Will take horses as part payment.
5 Room modern bungalow, Thesta St., close in, all improvements in, lot 60x125, barn, etc. A bargain at $3150.
50x150, West Ave., north of Olive, cement walks, city water, etc. $600.
EDWARD F. STONE, 1913 Fresno St. Phone 63.

REAL ESTATE—Country

MURRAY, INC.
2043 Tulare St.
SYCAMORE RANCH: The very best land in the valley with first class water right; improved and unimproved. Prices and terms to suit you. We will be pleased to show you this property.
20 Acres 2½ miles from Clovis, 5 acres Muscats 7 years old, 5 acres Thompsons 7 years old, 5 acres Muirs, Lovells and Albertas 7 years old; 5 room bungalow, good barn, shade and well, water right, 1500 trays, 75 sweat boxes 50 picking boxes, all implements and tools, 2 horses, 1 cow, 2½ dozen chickens. Price $6500. Terms $3500 cash, balance to suit, 7 per cent interest.
20 Acres northeast of Reedley, 3 acres oranges, balance unimproved, new 7 room house, 2 story barn, all buildings have concrete foundations, windmill and tank, pumping plant. This is first class orange land. Price $8250, Terms $2400 cash, balance to suit. Will exchange for good auto or city property.
20 Acres 2 miles west of Fresno, 10 acres Muirs 6 years old, 5 acres Lovells 4 years old, new 8 room bungalow, barn, shade and well, 6 horse power pump, water right, 1000 trays, few sweat boxes, 100 picking boxes, 1 horse and all implements. Price $11,500. Terms ½ cash, balance to suit, 7 per cent interest.
MURRAY, INC.
Fresno, Cal.
Geo. P. Wells, Mgr.

40 ACRES good land near Fresno, in desirable locality; has been farmed to grain; water right. Price $3000. Small cash payments, balance on very easy terms.
KITTRELL-REDDEN CO., Exchange Agents. 1144 J St. Phone 730.

D. W. MATTHEW.
REAL VALUE FOR THE MONEY
40 Acres, house and barn, all implements, cows and chickens, fine for dairy. $4000, $1600 cash.
40 Acres solid alfalfa, pumping plant, close to school, $1500 cash.
Nice suburban home, $4000, $1000 cash.
20 Acres, good buildings, in alfalfa, fruit and pasture, $750 cash, Price $3500.
DON'T FAIL to see me if you want a home on very easy terms.
Exchanges are easy for me.
D. W. MATTHEW, Tulare St., between K and L.

GOVERNMENT LANDS — Improvements on same bought and sold. Address Room 61, Fiske Bldg., Fresno.

20 ACRES of good land, some implements and buildings, ¼ mile from Bowles. C. D. James, Oleander.

W. L. CHAPPELL,
1933 Mariposa St. Rooms 6, 7 and 8
20 ACRES—5 acres trees, 10 acres leveled and checked for alfalfa; new house and barn, good location. Will take city property on first payment.
Two new bungalows in Fresno city for sale cheap and on easy terms.
Two good dwellings in Selma. Will take good automobile first payment on either one of them. More particulars see
W. L. CHAPPELL, Successor to Chappell & Jones. 1933 Mariposa St. Rooms 6, 7 and 8. Phone 2425.

20 ACRES, bargain; 9 Sultanas, 8 Malagas, 3 alfalfa; good house, barn, trays, implements, horses, also crop. This is a classy place if you are looking for something good. $2000 cash, balance on your own time. Located east of Fresno five miles.
R. S. THOMPSON CO., 1149 J St. Room 3. Phone 159.

40 ACRES—20 in alfalfa, 10 ready to plant, 10 in corn; small house, chicken house and 150 chickens, 2 horses, all tools, water right, 20 tons of hay. $6300. Terms.
O. G. FARNSWORTH, 1924 Fresno St. Phone 2391.

PATTERSON IRRIGATED FARMS
Thrifty people are growing wealthy in this, the land of plenty of water.
You can't help prospering if you like farming for here the conditions are just right for the growing of the most profitable farm products.
This is the acknowledged dairy and alfalfa section of the Pacific coast, and also all kinds of fruits and English walnuts grow here to perfection.
Poor men can start here, on the road to wealth and happiness. Come today and get our proposition.
W. E. BUSH & CO., Sales Agents Patterson Irrigated Farms. 1136 J St. Phone 1280.

FOR SALE—80 acres 5 miles northeast Reedley, 50 acres full bearing vines, trees and alfalfa, balance fine orange land; ranch house, barn, outbuildings, trays, tools, etc.; heavy bearing fig border, beautiful shrubbery and home orchard; ideal home place ¼ mile from school. $16,000; easy terms. Address 1716 J St., Fresno.

SOME GRAND BARGAINS
5 Acres, water right. $800, $75 down.
20, water right. $650.
80 at $75; right on canal; ¼ cash.
420, "tip top" orange land. $60 per acre.
520, apple land, $750.
20—8 alfalfa, 4 bearing peaches; nice rustic house, barn, horse, wagon, cow, chickens, all implements; worth $4000; sell for $2500, $1250 down. No. 1 land.
10, close in, 3 acres peaches, house, water, $1800.
S. S. CRUTCHER, 2039 Mariposa St., or C. E. Crawford, at Reedley.

40 ACRES—Deep white ash soil, absolutely no alkali. Water at reasonable depth. Only $3500. Terms.
JOHN DARLING,
Phone 3147. 1920 Fresno St.

ACRE LOTS, close in, $600, on terms; $100 down, $10 a month at 8 per cent. They are going fast. Buy now.
STEBBINS & CO., 1134 J St.

ALFALFA RANCH, ten acres. Good stand; new house and barn; family orchard; good well; also water right and ditches. $2600. Easy terms. Own alfalfa ranch and be independent.
MUSCAT AND EMPEROR VINEYARD, 135 acres full bearing. House, barn and other large outbuildings. Abundance boxes, tools and implements. Southeast of Clovis in heart of best district. Big income proposition and below value at $10,000. Terms to suit.
VINES AND PEACHES, twenty acres, two miles of Clovis, $3000. Terms This will set you to thinking—but you must act, or the other fellow will beat you to it. Call for Mr. Wolfe, with
FRESNO IMPROVED LAND COMPANY, 2039 Mariposa St. Telephone 456.

80 ACRE dairy ranch, 6 miles from Selma; good buildings, 25 head of cattle, 42 head of hogs, 10 head of good horses; everything complete. Price $12,000; easy terms.
VALLEY REALTY CO., 135 Forsyth Bldg.

LOOK HERE!!
For Sale—20 acres one mile south of Clovis, ¼ mile from Melvin, 3 packing houses, ½ mile from Jefferson grammar school, 3 teachers; one mile from Union High school; 12 acres Malagas 2 years old, balance ready to plant; plenty of water and best of soil. Price $6000, $3500 cash, balance terms to suit. Call on or address V. J. Clifford, Clovis, or Tel. 263 Clovis.

REAL ESTATE—City

$1200—4 lots corner Grant and Diana Sts.
Thos. E. Braly
J. ED. MITCHELL CO.
Phone 2211 2029 Fresno St.

BLACKSTONE AVE—45x125. Corner $600, inside $600, 126x125, $1800.
FRACTIONAL BLOCK $850. Q St.
K STREET APARTMENT house $6250
BEAUTIFUL HOME north K st. $5000
GEO. R. ANDREWS 1st Natl. Bank Bldg

HALF-ACRE LOTS on Tulare and Huntington Blvd., almost adjoining city limits; car passes tract, level, finest of soil, building restrictions, four annual payments at 7 per cent; price, $500 per lot.
F. M. CHITTENDEN & Co., 2007 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE—4 rooms, 2 lots. Easy terms Call 2227 Lewis Ave.

REAL ESTATE—Country

LOOKING FOR A BARGAIN?
Five Acres close in, all improved, peaches, full bearing. $500 cash, balance to suit purchaser. A chance snap
CALIFORNIA INVESTMENT CO., Room 11, 1149 J St., Fresno.

ALFALFA! ALFALFA! ALFALFA!
20 Acres alfalfa, small house, 2 horses, all farm implements. $1000 cash, balance to suit.
40 Acres alfalfa, house, barn, windmill, on main avenue, all fenced. $3000 cash, balance to suit.
CALIFORNIA INVESTMENT CO., Room 11, 1149 J St., Fresno.

C. W. JONES of Chappell & Jones, has sold his interest in the firm to W. L. Chappell and Jones is now located with the Fresno Realty Syndicate, 1035 J St.

80 ACRES of good level land located about 4 miles south of the prosperous town of Tranquillity; will deed free of all incumbrances 40 acres of the above land for improving 40 acres to alfalfa. The soil of this land is first class and only 12 feet to water. A. B. Smith, tax collector, Court House.

ALFALFA LAND!
ALFALFA LAND!
ALFALFA LAND!
45 Acres 9 miles from Fresno city, all level and checked, water right, $4000, $500 down and $500 in two years; small house and barn, all hog tight fenced. See
J. B. DALY, Exclusive Agent, Rotunda Forsyth Bldg.

FOR SALE—160 acre relinquishment, 1 mile from depot, on standard-gauge railroad, 1 mile from school, rich, sandy loam, 3900 feet elevation. A snap if taken at once. Call on or address, A. L. Baker, Kerman, Cal.

O. W. DAVIS, 1230 J St.
YOU WILL never buy a ranch in Fresno county cheaper than now. Investigate the following:
5 Acres on Olive Ave., 3 acres in alfalfa, balance trees and chicken yards; small house and barn. Price only $2500.
10 Acres, same location, 5 acres berries and peaches, balance level; small house good barn. Snap at $3000. Will trade for small house in town.
20 Acres, McKinley Ave, fine location and good soil, 14 acres bearing peaches, balance level. Price only $6000. Will trade for Fresno city property.
40 Acres, Kutner Colony, all in bearing peaches and vines; no better soil in California; near good school; house, barn, etc., all the stock and implements. This is the best buy east of Fresno. For the above and others, see
O. W. DAVIS, 1230 J St.

FOR SALE—39 acres, one-quarter east of Kutner school; well improved. Reasonable for part cash, rest on easy terms. E. G. Bode, R. 1, Box 35A, Fresno.

OWN A SUBURBAN HOME—10 or 20 acre tracts 5 miles northwest of town, first class land and first class water right. Price $85 per acre for this month; will be $100 next month. Easy terms.
SUNSET REALTY COMPANY, 1932 Mariposa St., Fresno, Cal.

SUNSET SPECIALS
1 Acre near Van Ness boulevard with dwelling. $1200. Terms to suit.
5 Acres on Wolte's Bridge Ave., alfalfa, vines and berries; 4 room house, barn, pumping plant. $1650. No. 1290.
Two Sections of land between Fresno and Raisin City, $18 per acre. Grab this quick; only 1-3 cash.
2000 Acres orange land northeast of Fresno. $40 per acre. Easy terms.
SUNSET REALTY COMPANY, 1932 Mariposa St., Fresno, Cal.

320 ACRES of A1 alfalfa land, abundance of water, 7 miles from good town. Price $75 per acre; easy terms. See this at once.
VALLEY REALTY CO., 135 Forsyth Bldg.

PIERCE & ANDERSON, 1152 J St.
NOW IS the time to buy lots. These are close in, north part of town. Any of these lots can be bought on ¼ cash, the balance to be paid $15 per month.
40x140 Feet on Fresno Ave., this side of Belmont, near Hill St., for $550.
Two corner lots on Thesta and Davis Sts. for $1000.
Two lots on Davis St. for $800.
Two lots on Hill St. for $850.
WE ALSO have eight good lots in Woodward's addition on very easy terms; ¼ cash, the balance $15 per month.
The above list of lots has never before been on the market.

Two good lots with four room house for $2600, $500 cash, balance $25 per month.
$3250—Two good lots on west side of P St., and a strictly modern 5 room house lots of shade, 1 block to high school and 1 block from grammar and grade schools, 1- block from car line. This is a fine home site and would be worth your time to look it up. Two lots in this block sold this month for $2500.
Merced St., corner P St., 50x150 on Merced St., with five room house. Now if you are looking for a good buy, this is it. Will give price and terms if you will call on us. No telephone calls answered on this property.
$1600 for a five room house on two good lots in north part of town. $250 cash, balance $25 per month. Why pay rent when you can own a home in a few years if you buy this place?

A THREE STORY brick building on Mariposa St. for $22,500, $7500 cash, balance at 6 per cent. No phone calls answered on this property.

5 Acres, ¼ mile of Fresno, with a 7 room house, good barn and outbuildings, small pumping plant, etc., with 4 acres Muscats, the balance in peaches, oranges, etc, which we consider a bargain at $5000. One of the nicest homes in this city.
40 Acres located 4 miles from Fresno, with house, barn, trays, etc., all in full bearing Muscats, peaches and Seedless grapes. One-half this year's crop goes with the place. Cash payment of $3750, the purchase price being $15,000.
45 Acres raw, level land, 7 miles north of Fresno, on the state highway, on main canal. One of the best buys in this county today.
ONE of the best paying investments in the county, in the nature of a 58 acre vineyard and orchard, near Sanger; modern two story house, work houses, barn, good shade, well, tankhouse, windmill, pumping plant, water right and ditched, ¼ mile from school; plenty of trays, boxes and tools. Water is piped to the house; 35 acres of Thompsons Seedless, 22 acres blue grapes and some orange, apple, fig and apricot trees. Can be bought for a very reasonable cash payment, the place paying for itself, easily.
160 Acres near Clovis, being 70 acres in alfalfa, 10 acres in grain, 12 h. p. pumping plant, 4 horses, 10 hogs, 17 cows and general tools for the farming of the place. The price of $20,000 includes a retail dairy business in Clovis. Can be bought for part cash, the balance in 9½ years at 7 per cent. This we consider an opportunity for some one interested in the dairying business.
PIERCE & ANDERSON, 1152 J St.

LARGEST land dealers in the San Joaquin valley. See us first for loans, lots, lands and houses. We also rent houses. Make a specialty of West Side land and have some at the right figure.

FOR SALE—[illegible] acres Muscat vines and alfalfa, [illegible] This is one of the best places in Fresno county for soil location and [illegible]. Good terms and no [illegible]. See [illegible] or address Fowler R. R. 1, or J. E. Sloan, Oxnard, Ventura Co., Cal.

20 Acres partly improved, good 6 room house, wind mill and tank, barn and out buildings, trays, boxes, implements, 2 horses, harness, wagon 4 milk cows, 100 chickens and good stove connected; close to school $4500.
80 acre alfalfa ranch for sale or exchange for good city property as part payment at $125 per acre with buildings, all fenced. This is a snap.
CHAS ERICKSON, 1140 J St.

5 acres near Roeding school, vines, trees first class buy. Must sell. $2250. Terms.
80 acres alfalfa, Barstow district, finest in the district, never pastured, first class stand, buildings worth $4000. Must sell to raise money. $15,000; easy terms.
60 acres south of Sanger, 1st class district, vines, trees and alfalfa; team, chickens and every thing goes; place 4 years old. Big bargain, $16,000 terms.
RAW LAND
Now is the time to buy. See us about Waverley tract, east of town, close to town and schools, water rights, level, fine land, sold in 20 and 40 acre tracts, $110 to $130 per acre, 1-4 cash, balance 5 years, 6 per cent.
See us for colonization lands, fine list of city and country property.
ALEXANDER LAND CO., 1050 J St.

10 acres fine soil, in fruit and alfalfa, near town and car line.
20 acres in 3 year old Muscats, will exchange.
40 acres near fair grounds, good soil, vineyard and small orchard, house, barn and implements. Will exchange for raw land.
HARRIS-EULESS CO., Room 14, Republican Bldg.

VERNE H. CARTER CO.
WE HAVE for sale 320 acres of good alfalfa land for $47.50 per acre, only 4 miles southeast of a thriving county seat town, only 18 miles from Fresno. Good terms and plenty of water.
VERNE H. CARTER, 1943 Fresno St. Phone 63.

FOR SALE—40 or 80 acres in alfalfa and Egyptian corn with water right; also 210 acres. Very cheap if sold at once. 80 acres Thompsons, 70 Muscats, 30 Feherzagoes, balance grain land. Call at Room 5, Short Bldg., Fresno, between 8 and 9 a. m.

ALFALFA! ALFALFA!
20, 40 and 80 Acre places, nicely improved, $125 to $225 per acre.
160 to 500 Acres from $100 to $150 per acre. The best of alfalfa land, 40 to 2000 acres, from $40 to $100 per acre.
Vineyards, orchards and orange groves, all sizes and prices; good values. Also a large list of fine homes.
Subdivision lands, suitable for mixed farming. Let us show you before you buy.
WILSON LAND CO., 1033 J St. Phone 2398.

IF you have something good to sell that is a bargain at your price see
GUY STOCKTON
Phone 2667 Room 2, 1921 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE in 20 acres or more, good raw land for vines and trees; ½ mile of railroad. Price $60 per acre, one-fourth cash, balance long time, 6 per cent net.
Thos. E. Braly.
J. ED. MITCHELL CO., No. 2029 Fresno St.

FOR SALE
80 acre stock ranch near Selma, 17 acres alfalfa, 6 room house, big barn, windmill, pumping plant, 26 head of cattle and horses, valued at $2500, all farming implements.
PRICE $10,500, $5500 cash and the balance to suit purchaser.

160 acre improved place, 10 miles from Fresno, 40 acres peaches, 20 acres alfalfa, 100 acres Muscat vines, house, barn, pumping plant, stock and farming implements. Will exchange for Selma or Fresno property on cash basis.
PRICE $225 per acre.
SELMA LAND CO., Selma, Cal.

FOR SALE— Nineteen acres in Mt. Campbell orange tract. Ten acres nine years old orange trees, one acre young orange trees. House, barn, pumping plant. Terms $4000 cash, balance terms to suit. H. B. box 49, Republican.

WEST & CLARK
1036 J St. Phone 518
CHOICE ORANGE LAND. Some real snaps in large acreage tracts. Growing oranges is a most profitable industry, and pays big every season. Tracts from 40 acres up to 1,200 acres. All A1, ranging from $60 an acre up. Tell us what you want, and we will find it for you.
WEST & CLARK
1036 J St. Phone 518

DANISH LAND CO. 306 J St.
IF you want to buy city or country property, it will pay you to consult us before buying. we have a large list of city and country property for sale or trade, and our prices are right. Call on us and we will demonstrate it to you Reliable information given to all.
Phone 2663, or call at office.

ALFALFA IS KING
Buy the best alfalfa in the state from the owner; any size tract on easy terms.
ASK SCHULTZ,
WITH FRESNO CREAMERY CO., 1319 L St.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—20 acres 4 miles out improved vines and trees 4 years old. Price $5500. Will take $2500 in city property, balance terms.
20 Acres, house and barn, all fenced; no land. A bargain for a few days at $100 per acre; half cash, balance terms
3 Room house and screen porch, north part of town, $1500. Will take 2 gentle driving horses; also several good lots in north part of town.
HUFF & RICKARDS, 1149 J St. Room 1. Phone 971.

WE HAVE LAND
Huron to Mendota, $10 per acre.
STOUGH & BRANDON
65 West Santa Clara St., San Jose.

20 ACRES peaches and alfalfa, about 6 miles north of Kerman. Price $5200. Will consider exchange city property to $2500.
JOHN DARLING, 1920 Fresno St.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—20 acres orange land with buildings and pumping plant in Anandale Colony, Wahtoke. Will take automobile as part pay. Box 378 Reedley.

MR. SALARIED MAN—Have you ever thought of investing a part of your salary each month in lands? We can sell you lots from five acres up and plant it to oranges, figs, olives or any fruit you direct and care for it until it comes into bearing. You make your payments monthly from your salary. See us or write for our plan.
REEDLEY LAND & LOAN COMPANY, Reedley, Fresno Co., Cal.

FOR SALE—In Oakland, a six room modern residence in a restricted residence section of the city. Within one block of car line on three sides. Five minutes' ride on car to the university. House built four years ago. Will sell for $500 less than cost if sold at once. Price $4000. A. B., Box 19, Republican.

GOOD LAND
5 miles north of Wheatville 3 miles from Burrellton on S. P. $50, 10 per cent down, balance long time. If you want alfalfa land this is it.
Thos. E. Braly
J. ED. MITCHELL CO.
Phone 2211 2029 Fresno St.

ORANGE LANDS that are entirely free from frost conditions are scarce. We can show you young trees planted last summer left entirely unprotected this winter, which have gone through our recent biggest frosts untouched.
YOU WANT real orange land. We have it. Come to see us and come early for choice of location.
WAHTOKE LAND COMPANY, 206 Edgerly Bldg.

WHAT have you in STOCKTON to exchange for Fresno County, Modesto or Oakland property? Address P. O. box [illegible], Fresno, Cal.

THREE 20 acre tracts, near Reedley, mostly improved, houses and barns. $4,000 and $[illegible], part cash, balance easy terms; 20 acres near Reedley, [illegible] years old trees [illegible]. A good buy [illegible] Muscats, [illegible] and [illegible] early [illegible].
[illegible] Del Rey, Cal.

SMITH & CONNELLY.
[illegible] ACRE[illegible] alfalfa, no [illegible] $2500, $750 cash. Will trade for city property.
An [illegible] chicken ranch and dairy, $[illegible], large house and barn, 8 acres alfalfa, some tools. Part [illegible].
40 Acres, Scandinavian Colony, $14,500; all vines and trees, 12 room house, all kinds of buildings, trays, boxes, tools and stock. $[illegible] down, balance $500 [illegible] and interest.
SPECIAL—320 acre dairy, $35,000; 200 acres alfalfa, balance pasture, buildings; cows for sale extra. A fine place, $10,000 cash, balance to suit.
SMITH & CONNELLY, 1140 J. Phone 608.

LOTS in Orange Vale Colony; level as floor, water piped to every lot. Sold in 2, 5 or 20 acres or more; easy terms. Joining beautiful groves.
$20 A1 orange land $55 per acre. Terms
SEE C. E. Crawford, Reedley or S. S. Crutcher & Co., 2039 Mariposa St., Fresno.

READ THIS AND BUY LAND—As many acres as you want, with water right; A-1 land; 720 acres of it two miles from Burrell Station. Best dairy section in Fresno county, at $40.00 per acre; 1-4 cash, balance 7 per cent 1, 2, and 3 years. Don't miss this opportunity. You can't buy any as good as this again for double price asked. Apply Fresno Creamery. Phone 2588.

ALFALFA! ALFALFA!
320 Acres—70 acres in alfalfa, balance ready to be sown, fenced and cross fenced; two good pumping plants, good house and barn, 10 miles from Fresno. Price $125 per acre, ¼ cash, balance 6 years.
60 Acres all good buildings, 55 acres alfalfa, balance hog pasture. Price $150 per acre; 1-3 cash, balance 4 years.
40 Acres—24 acres alfalfa, 6 acres Thompsons in full bearing, balance pasture. Price $8000; good terms or will trade for Fresno city property.
166 Acres—A snap; 95 acres alfalfa, balance raw land. Price $110 per acre; good terms.
E. C. BUCHANAN, 1144 J St. Phone 730.

COAST PROPERTY

BEAUTIFUL roomy house and good garage. Best corner in Linda Vista Terrace, the choicest residence district in Oakland. Lot 70x140. Fine views. Ten minutes from business center. Steam heat and automatic water heater. Ten sunny rooms, two baths; interior richly finished, up-to-date style. Price $16,000. Excellent investment; terms reasonable. Address E. J. B., Room 305, Central Bank Building, Oakland. Phone Oakland 813.

"FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Watsonville Apple orchard, 164 acres in the ranch, 60 acres in apples, 30 acres full bearing, 20 acres young trees; 5000 Eucalyptus trees, one acre spineless cactus, family orchard of all kinds of fruits and nuts, 50 acres more finest land to plant in apples, balance grain, pasture and timber land, soil rich loose loam, New modern house of 8 rooms, helps house, fine well and reservoir, large barn and warehouse, wagons, buggies, new harness, all farming implements, blacksmith shop and tools. Delightful climate, beautiful home, fine income. Price $80,000, mortgage $7500. Will exchange for a good San Joaquin valley ranch worth $6000 to $20,000 and take difference in second mortgage back on the apple orchard, giving time to make it out of the crops. Address W. A. Whitmer, box 123, Palo Alto, Calif."

Tulare County Real Estate

160 ACRES near Exeter and the orange grover; excellent orange and easy water conditions. Price now $22,000.

10 Acres good orange land near town. $1500; improvements all around this. Terms easy.
THARA C. OSTRANDER, Exeter, Cal.

FOR RENT
DAIRY ALFALFA RANCH—120 acres near Porterville. Address P. O. box 633 Porterville, Calif.

AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY ALFALFA LAND CHEAP
320 Acres A1 alfalfa land located 8 miles from Visalia and 2 miles from Lovell, 160 acres under Alta ditch, underground water at 10 feet; under hog tight fence. This property offered at $75 per acre in order to make a quick sale to close up an estate. Terms cash. R. S. Nickerson, Lovell, Phone 1309, Dinuba Exchange.

Merced County Real Estate

TO LEASE—20 acres raw land 2½ miles from Merced suitable for sweet potatoes, alfalfa, etc. Persons interested will apply to Wm. Gillig, Oilfields.

Stanislaus Co. Real Estate

RAW LAND
DO you want to buy raw land? If so write to us. Also we have some bargains in 20 acre alfalfa ranches.
20 acres alfalfa, small house, big barn, good windmill and tank house, all complete. All the hay in the barn. $4500 will buy this 20, $2000 cash, balance, long time at 6 per cent interest.
10 acres Alfalfa, near Ceres, at $2700; easy terms; four room house, barn, etc.
ALSO we have some good 2 1-2, 5 and 10 acre ranches near Modesto at right prices. Write to us for our list. Phone Main 3771 Modesto.
We Are Land Specialists
WHEELER-O'LEARY CO., 1002 1-2 H St. Modesto, Calif.

Kings County Real Estate.

FOR SALE—210 acres 4 miles from Hanford. Apply owner, 423 W. 7th St., Hanford.

WEST SIDE LANDS

WEST SIDE LAND—Will buy quarter section West Side land; must be every cheap and long terms. State full description and price. H. B. box 55, Republican.

FOR BARGAINS in West Side land or relinquishments. Write to Hans R. Sumpf, Huron, Cal.

MENDOTA LANDS—See Al Braverman.

FINANCIAL

IF YOU need money on your home or figure on building, see us.
F. B. BILLINGS or R. C. MEYERING, 2007 Mariposa St. Phone 6.

MONEY TO LOAN—Have client with $5000 to loan on improved country property. See G. R. Vignolo, Room 11, 1149 J St., Fresno.

MONEY ALWAYS PLENTIFUL
$3000 to loan on good country or city property.
$2000 to loan on city or country property.
$1500 to loan on country property.
$2500 to loan on country property.
$2000 to loan on country or city property.
$1000 to loan on country or city property.
John L. Meacham, Mgr. Loan Dept.
DODSON-ORR REALTY CO., 924 J St. Phone 527.

SALARY LOANS—If you are permanently employed we will make you a loan on your salary, without security, at very low rates. Strictly confidential.
WESTERN BROKERAGE CO., Room 41, Republican Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN
At a flat rate of interest on either city or country.
HARRIS-EULESS CO., Room 14, Republican Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN at low rates on improved city property or for building on easy terms of repayment. [illegible]-DANIEL CO., [illegible] J St., Fresno.

WE HAVE lots of money in big amounts to loan. If you have good loans we can handle them quickly for you. Anything from $500 to $10,000 or less. See us at once for loans.
PIERCE & ANDERSON, 1152 J St.

MONEY TO LOAN — Kittrell-Redden Co., 1144 J St., Fresno, Cal.

[illegible] TO LOAN on [illegible] property, to [illegible] pay. Attractive [illegible] See us. [illegible] J St.

Stenographers and Typewriters

JOHN W. BALDWIN, stenographer and notary, 309 Land Co. Bldg. Phone 419.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, notary public. Eleanor Owen, 317 Land Co. Bldg. Phone 1326.

REASONABLE CHARGES, satisfactory work, quick service, is what makes my multigraphing pay. G. M. Hume, 1232 J St.

FOR EXCHANGE

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acre dairy and alfalfa ranch; 4 room house, large barn and outbuildings. Address A. M. Cunningham, R. R. 3, Box 106, Fresno.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE
$6000 to $30,000 in good 8 per cent first mortgages, for city or country property.
45, 62, 80 or 125 Acres fine alfalfa land in Sec. 24, T. 17, R. 18; good buildings, well, windmill, tank, hog tight fence; no alkali. Will sell on easy terms or trade for Fresno city property.
20, 40 or 80 Acres of fine Patterson land to trade for Fresno city or suburban property.
W. E. BUSH & CO., 1136 J St. Phone 1280.

$1000 MORTGAGE and $250 cash to trade on city property. What have you?
R. S. THOMPSON CO., 1149 J St. Room 3. Phone 159.

WE MAKE a specialty of exchanges. If you have anything to trade see us at once.
VALLEY REALTY CO., 135 Forsyth Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE. 1¼ ACRES, HOUSE barn, well, water right, 1¼ acres orchard, 1-2 acre alfalfa; near Van Ness Boulevard.
H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO., 1125 J St.

EXCHANGES
5 ACRES 2 miles west, partly improved. $3500, or will trade for city. No. 1218.
Lots in different parts of the city to trade for auto or raw land.
25 Acres south of Kingsburg, 10 acres alfalfa, balance vacant, Price $2650, or will trade for Oakland, same value. No. 1129.
900 Acres orange land south of Porterville. What have you to offer in trade for all or part?
SUNSET REALTY COMPANY, 1932 Mariposa St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for runabout automobile, $150 shotgun. Call and see it at 2023 Mariposa St., gun store.

WHAT have you in city lots to exchange for good horse and buggy. P. O. box 106.

FOR EXCHANGE
5 acres $4500—Close to town, new house, barn, chicken houses, trees and alfalfa. Will sell or trade for city property.
20 acres—near Clovis, $8000. Fine land. 8 acres alfalfa, balance grapes. $3500 in buildings. A beautiful home. Wish to trade for dairy ranch.
100 acres close to town, $7500. All pasture, good house, 2 fine barns, tank house, fine stock ranch, and a bargain, for sale or trade for city property.
SMITH & CONNELLY
1140 J St. Phone 608

ESMERALDA VINEYARD—120 acres edge of town; best and cheapest subdivision proposition on market; offered to close estate.
AL. BRAVERMAN, Land Co. Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Choice income property close in for fruit ranch.
Good Southern California income property for Fresno or ranch property.
20 Acre ranch close in, for business.
Some choice vacant lots for improved property
A fine business doing $4000 per month for 40 acre ranch.
E. E. STONE, 1345 P St.
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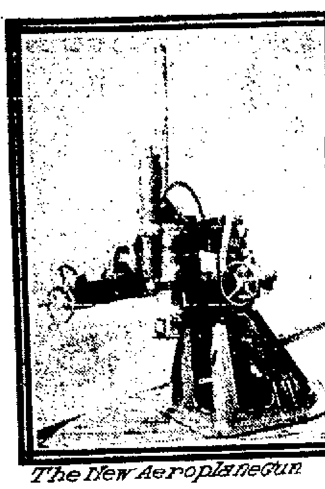
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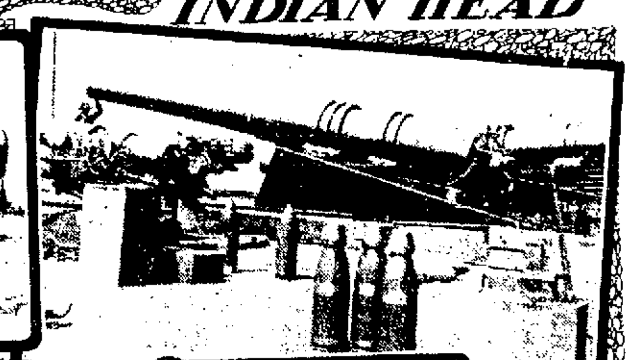
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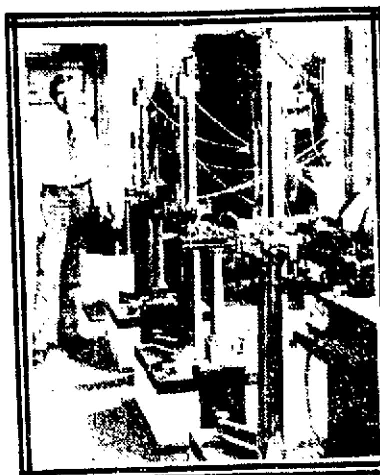

The Chronograph

The Bomb Proof with Walls Five Feet Thick

FEW people realize just how great a test the big guns which go to make up the equipment of our battleships must undergo before they earn the right to Uncle Sam's firing line. These tests are made at the Naval Proving Grounds at Indian Head, Maryland, a secluded spot on the banks of the Potomac River about twenty-five miles from Washington. Here the United States Government owns twelve hundred acres of land, and almost every day a bloodless battle between guns and armour is waged on the river front. This conflict is jealously guarded from the public eye. The place is absolutely closed to visitors, and only those who are fortunate enough to obtain a pass from the Bureau of Ordnance at Washington are permitted to look upon the technical tests to which the guns and armour are subjected. The Government tug is the only boat allowed to make a landing at the wharf. There is a corps of Naval officers at Indian Head, and these men and their families reside on the far end of the reservation away from the valley where the firing is done. About five hundred civilians, three hundred and fifty of whom are negroes, are employed to carry on the dangerous, not to say difficult work of safeguarding the lives of our sailors as well as proving the awful power of our modern guns.

Only those who have seen a gun go through its many tests can fully realize the havoc which is wrought by the huge steel instruments. The guns are brought by tug to Indian Head from the gun factory at the Washington Navy Yard. At the Proving Ground wharf a giant crane lifts them to a truck which runs on rails to a point near the spot where the tryout is to be made. At this point another crane lifts them into position, where a thorough examination of the structural parts is made by the Naval Officers on duty. The heavy work is done by the colored employees, and as soon as the gun has been pronounced structurally perfect the men begin to make ready for the firing.

The first trial is a dangerous experiment and accidents sometimes happen, and several years ago a colored man had his head blown off by the explosion of a six pounder. Projectiles, too, sometimes perform strange antics. Special precaution is taken to minimize the number and extent of the disasters which might result through the freaks of the projectiles, by the use of a siren whistle. This is blown five minutes before the test begins, thus affording the workmen who are at the works nearby or walking about the grounds an opportunity to seek shelter in some of the shacks erected for that purpose. The whistle can be heard for at least a mile, and even the inhabitants of the village are prepared for the concussion which is little short of an earthquake. The after effects of great gun fire are sometimes serious, for the concussion frequently loosens plastering from the ceiling of the houses in the vicinity, and in one instance several windows in the hotel of the village were shattered. Nearly all the officers' homes have pressed metal ceilings and many of the buildings have windows made of a material known as fibreloid instead of glass. Everybody about the place has become accustomed to the noise, and the tremendous concussions occasion little excitement among the workers and the men in the Administration Building hardly look up from their books when the building seems to rock on its foundation.

The guns are fired by electricity from a building in the rear of the battery, which is known as the "bomb proof." This building looks somewhat like a mausoleum It is built of concrete and its walls are five feet in thickness. It is the main place of refuge during the firing and is also a storehouse for the powder to be used during the day. Giant scales are used to weigh out the powder charges which are poured into muslin bags ready for the guns. The utmost precaution is used, for nothing is taken for granted, and every move is noted by the officers. When everything is ready the officers retire to the hill in the rear of the battery, the signal is given and the man at the electric key presses the button. The flight of the shell is most carefully observed. This is done over and over again, for each gun, large or small, is fired at least five times with increasing charges of powder until the maximum chamber pressure is one and one-fourth times that required for actual service. This is followed by the elevation and getting it pointed on a fixed mark, after which it is fired over the river range and the officers note the places where the shells fall. Calm weather is preferred for this work, for wind and atmospheric conditions sometimes change the whole routine of a test.

Much might be written from a technical point of view on the smokeless powder used, and as to its general effects, but many of these facts the Navy authorities prefer to keep to themselves. This powder, which looks like pieces of perforated horehound candy, is all manufactured at Indian Head—about a dozen buildings being used for the purpose.

The effect of the concussion on the mount or gun-carriage is also carefully watched, because the carrier must be strong enough to absorb the recoil to a certain extent as any great yielding or stretching might affect the range of the shot and the correctness of the fire. All this requires repeated testings, and in one year more than ten thousand shots have been fired at Indian Head in proving out two hundred and seventy-five guns. This did not include the small arms.

The velocity of the shell as it is hurled through space is another problem, and this is worked out by the aid of the chronograph—a delicate instrument in the office of the Administration Building. When the speed of the projectile is to be tested the gun is sighted on two screens which are suspended in the air one hundred and sixty-eight feet apart. These screens are connected by wire with the chronograph in the office a quarter of a mile away. This instrument, or rather, instruments, for there are three in number, each working on the same gun in the following manner: A long rod coated with silver soft enough to allow dents hangs by a magnet which is in circuit with the first screen. When the gun is fired the shell tears the wires of the screen, the connection is broken and the rod begins to fall. As the next screen is pierced it releases a second rod which touches a spring causing a knife to shoot out making a mark on the first rod, the distance between this mark and the initial mark accounted for beforehand is the measure of the distance fallen by the rod while the shot is passing over the distance from the first to the second screen. By the known laws of gravity the distance fallen by the rod, together with the distance between the screens, furnishes the basis for calculating the velocity of the projectile. The speed varies with the different guns, and ranges from fifteen hundred to thirty-one hundred feet per second, the shells of our newest guns making the latter speed. The chronograph is the invention of a Frenchman.

The chronoscope, which is also in the office, is even a more delicate piece of machinery, and records the time from the explosion in the powder chamber to the instant the shell leaves the gun. This is done by a spark on the machine as the powder is exploded and another when the projectile passes the muzzle, and in so doing breaks the small wire in connection with the instrument. A drawing is made of every test and later transferred to blue-print paper and put on record.

Now that the strength, aiming quality and velocity of the shell of a gun have been tested, the flight between it and the armour, such as is used on modern battleships, begins. Sometimes an experimental target such as the counterpart of the section of a battleship is set up, and against this various sized shells are fired in order to note the destructive effect on the interior. Our newest battleship is to cost somewhere in the neighborhood of eleven millions and the greater part of this expenditure goes for guns and armour, and the latter is quite as rigidly tested as the former. A searching chemical analysis of every piece is made, and it must undergo something like thirty different examinations. A thoroughly equipped laboratory is maintained for this purpose at Indian Head. After the armour has been pronounced chemically perfect a sample plate is set up on the Proving Grounds, usually about three hundred and sixty feet from the gun, which is to try its powers of resistance. This process is quite as dangerous, if not more so, than the test of a gun, for steel splinters are likely to fly through the air, and here again the greatest precaution is taken and everybody is kept out of the danger zone. After terrific crash and the shower of steel has passed away the result of the gun fire on the armour is examined by the officers and a photographic record made by the official photographer. The actual impact has been photographed several times with more or less success and more or less destruction for photographic apparatus. The camera was operated by electricity in the exposure of plates. Fantastic figures are often formed on the armour, and as the result of one test the perfect profile of a woman appeared on the steel plate. Later in the day the exploded shells are dug out of the sand by the use of a clam shell digger and carried to the shell dump.

Indian Head has been the scene of some remarkable tests. Recently the aeroplane gun was tried out there and its success makes aeroplanes practically useless in time of war. It was fired at an angle of eighty-five degrees, almost perpendicular. It has a range of over three miles and can fire fifty shots per minute. As no aeroplane has as yet attained this height it can be readily understood how destructive this gun will prove to an air craft. It is said that the Navy Department contemplates the manufacture of a large number of these guns, in fact, enough to place a battery of them on the deck of every warship in the Navy. The guns are being built at the gun factory in the Navy Yard at Washington, D. C.

Fuses are also tested, and on the bank of the river a plate of the thinnest armour, such as is used for torpedo boats, has been set up as a fuse tester. Loaded and fused shells are fired against this plate and the bursts observed. Before this can be done a clear range of seven miles must be had on the river. There is also a covered firing butt containing a plate with a number of screens behind it. This is used not only to determine the distance but also the character of the bursts.

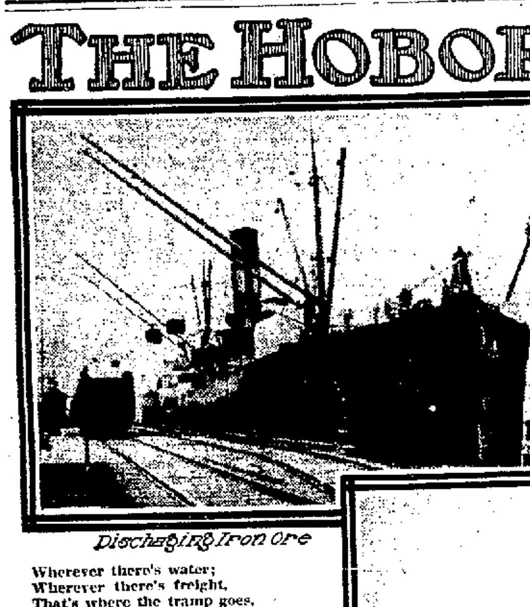
Our twelve inch armour piercing projectile is said to weigh little less than nine hundred pounds, but going at a speed of perhaps two thousand miles an hour it can be readily imagined what the impact will be.

From a scientific point of view Indian Head is full of interest, but the layman thinks only of the awful destructive power of these giant guns which lie in the valley of the Proving Grounds awaiting their stamp—the large official "P" which means perfection after a final test.

"It must be something akin to being struck by a three hundred and fifty ton train," said a Congressman after he had witnessed a gun and armour battle, "or worse."

Nothing seems to be left undone, and Uncle Sam is equipping his gallant sailors with the best weapons skill and science can provide.

THE HOBOES of the SEA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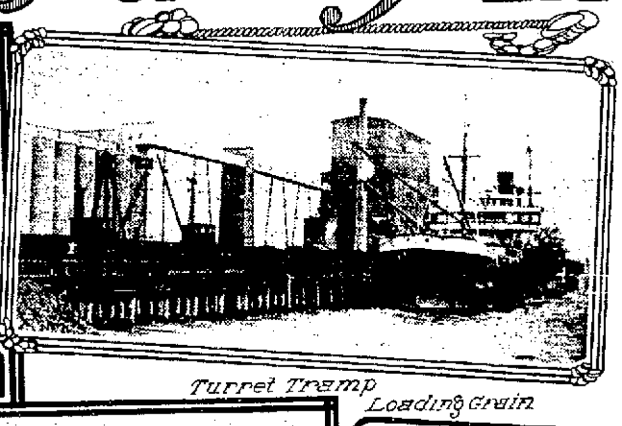
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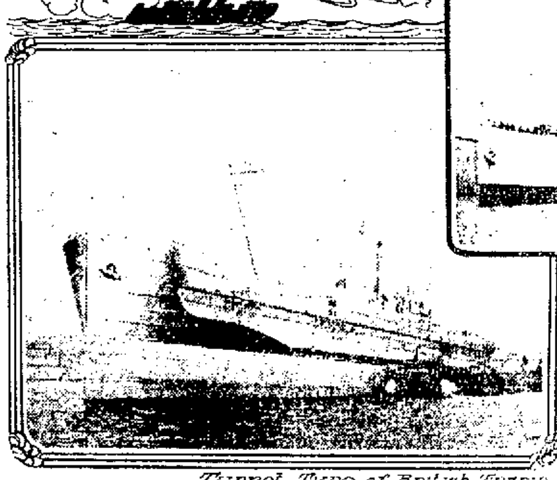
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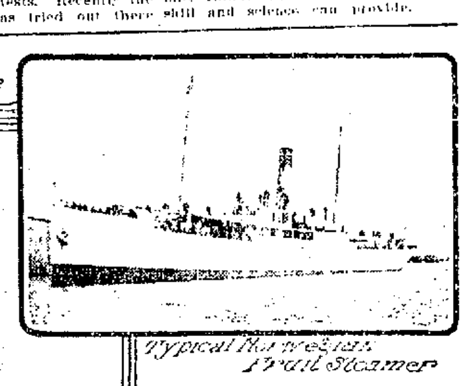
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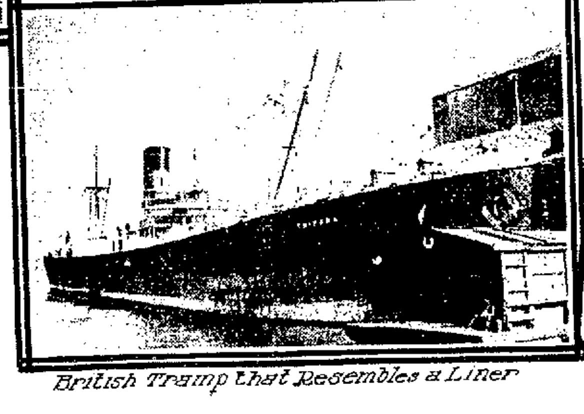
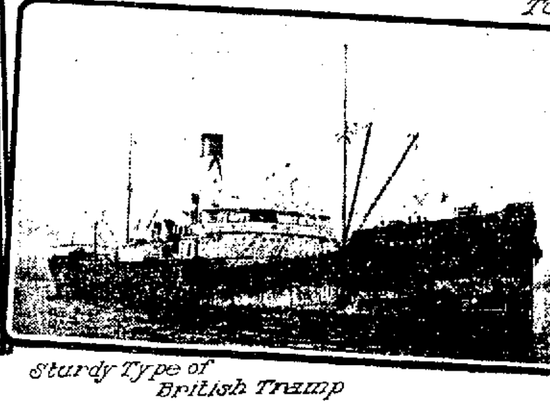

British Tramp that Resembles a Liner


Sturdy Type of British Tramp

Wherever there's water;
Wherever there's freight,
That's where the tramp goes,
That's where the tramp goes!
—Old Song.

THE hobo of the sea is no relation to the Weary Willie of the land, and although in the old song of "Wherever there's freight, that's where the tramp goes" applies, in a measure, to the pilgrim who steals his way on the cargo carriers of the steel rail, it was penned by someone who had in mind the thousands of sturdy steam craft that are known on the seven seas as tramps.

All vessels that do not ply on regular routes may be said to be tramps, and while tramping may be looked upon with disfavor by those who live ashore, those afloat and the shipping interests hold the tramp ship in high favor. A manufacturer gets a large order to deliver, say at Tampico, Mexico. There are no regular freight ships plying from his nearest coast port. What does he do? He telegraphs or telephones to a ship broker at that port and the agent charters a tramp steamer of the required cargo capacity.

And one may always, or nearly always, find a tramp at the larger cities laid up waiting for charter.

The skipper of the tramp is the man with whom to talk. He does not care what the cargo may be—fruit, oil in case, wheat, lumber, ties, dynamite or sinews of war for a revolutionary party in any part of the world—just so the price is in keeping with the risk and the time required.

Into the calculations of the proposed revolution that certain dissatisfied patriots may be contemplating the question of transportation of their "army" and stores is a minor one, for the members of the junta know that for the price a tramp steamer may be chartered. The risk to the owners? Oh, that's nothing if the price is right.

During the Russo-Japanese war it was common to read of both the Japs and Russians destroying steamers found to be carrying contraband. The owners of the steamers were satisfied for the gentlemen who chartered the vessels had paid enough freight money to justify the loss. As the skipper and crew, if they escaped with their lives to enjoy their portion of the money paid well and good. If they went down, well, is it not all in the business?

The business of tramping is as old as ships, but it was developed to a high degree by the Yankee skippers of the early days of this country. In those days a young man returned from a voyage with a rating of second or first mate and a knowledge of navigation. He wanted a vessel of his own so he organized a company on a stock basis.

With the ship in commission the captain's real work began, and when he slipped his moorings for a voyage he was going tramping, although he called it "trading." In his quest for cargoes he did not bother where he might have to go, his only stipulation being that he should have a return freight of a monetary consideration.

Those were the days when trading was not as prosaic as today, for the doughty skippers of sailing craft took all kinds of chances, especially those who went over on the African coast, swapping beads, mirrors, calico, knives and other gimcracks for ivory. Many of those skippers were not averse to "blackbirding," as running slaves was called, and many a cargo of blacks was run to the States, even after the British government started in to break up slavery.

Just as soon as the procuring of blacks was difficult then the rewards were greater, as was the temptation, and many a vessel that left her home port as a trader became a "blackbirder," sometimes with profit and sometimes not.

During the Civil War the tramp steamship made its appearance, first as a blockade runner. In that business a successful voyage meant quick and ample returns, for the freights were generally worth more than the ships. One round trip paid for the vessel, after that it was all profit.

It is to the tramp steamer that England owes her position as the foremost maritime power. The Crown has encouraged the building of liners and tramps by the giving of subsidy. In other words, the Crown is a part owner, but only in time of war does the Crown assert its rights. Then these tramps must respond to be used as troop transports, as many were during the Boer war.

The Ship Subsidy Bill that has been agitated in this country for years provides that kind of encouragement for our people, but Congress has not yet been convinced of its necessity. The result is that the Stars and Stripes is rapidly disappearing from the oversea trade.

In the meantime England and Norway, which also have a subsidy system, are enjoying the major profits of carrying the wares of the world in bottoms that yield from 25 to 40 per cent. interest annually. England leads the world because of the readiness of her people to invest, and the rapidity with which the vessels can be turned out. One shipyard alone for several years maintained an average of one 8,000 ton steamer every three months, from the laying of the keel to the official trial trip.

The cable has done wonders for the master of the tramp. He no longer sails "in ballast" on a "[illegible]." Rather than that he lays up, retaining only enough of his crew to keep up his ship. Then he awaits orders from his shore agent who, in the meantime, has been notified. The latter then goes after business. For instance a ship loads coal at one of the Chesapeake Bay ports for Tampico, and upon arrival there finds that the only out cargo is one for "Delaware Breakwater for orders."

The cargo is taken and when the vessel arrives at the Breakwater she receives orders to proceed to New York. At the latter port there is no outbound cargo for her unless she is willing to wait two weeks. After having just come off a short voyage the prospect does not appeal so the skipper telegraphs his agents at all the coast ports asking for charter and until something does come the ship must lay up in a basin. While there is an enormous amount of business done one may always find one or more of these tramps laid up and these are the vessels that may be engaged for any enterprise, from seeking treasure to running contraband for a band of patriots.

As the excellence of accommodations on the big liners has advanced the accommodations on the tramp have kept pace until the master of one of these modern freighters is as well off as is the skipper of any of the "floating hotels." He has a suite of rooms, all comfortably, and even handsomely furnished, his bathroom, private pantry and kitchen, his electric light and fans—all of the comforts that one can possibly have at sea. A small refrigerating plant keeps his foods and furnishes cooling liquid when in the tropics.

And in tonnage, too, the tramp has grown until there are some of them that register 6,000 tons. Most of them, however, are less than 3,000 tons, for they have been found to be more economical to operate in a line of business that is more or less uncertain.

As the tramp carries her cargo at so much per ton only the restraining hand of Lloyds, the insurance company, prevents much of the overloading that is something of a practice. [illegible] which is light for its bulk, it is [illegible] to not only fill the hold, but to build up huge wooden boxes on deck and fill them. Lumber, too, is often piled high on deck. Occasionally a crew refuses to go to sea on such a laden vessel, and this brings about an inquiry by the Consul, who decides whether the ship is fit for sea.

A new type of tramp ship is the turret, designed to evade the tonnage tax, and although this type of vessel does not appear to be able to carry as much as an ordinary type of the same length appearances are deceptive. Often times lumber is carried on the tops of the turrets, but the practice is generally discouraged.

The Norwegian [illegible] laws are more lax than the laws of England, hence when the British tramps begin to outlive their usefulness they are sold to Norway. The new owners patch them up and send them forth under their own flag.

On the other hand the Norwegians turn out some exceedingly nice craft, scores of which are engaged in the West Indies fruit trade under charter to American fruit companies.

These little vessels are swift in speed, cheap to operate and carry 10,000 to 12,000 [illegible], or bunches, which is considered as being an ideal cargo, quick to load and quick to discharge. Besides, being small, they can get into many of the poorly sheltered harbors. Many of them are lost, hardly a year passing but what two to six strike on the reefs and, as a rule, striking means the end of them, as the cost of salvage and repair would amount to more than they are worth.

In but one sense is the tramp steamer a hobo, and that is in its wanderings for "wherever there's freight that's where the tramp goes."

A Page of Good Reading

"I WILT TOO"

BY WILL SEAT.

GRIMBY'S new shoes pinched his feet. The road was dusty and this dust, mingled the yellow pollen of the rag-weed, was making sad work of the lower part of his nifty trousers.

"Confound Mary Anne!" exclaimed Grimsby.

Mary Anne was his cousin and he was on the way to her wedding. He liked Mary Anne the least of all the forty-seven first cousins whom he was so fortunate as to possess, but she was, nevertheless, the only one of the lot for whose wedding he would have felt it necessary to put himself to so much discomfort and expense.

This was because Mary Anne was vain and ambitious and adored Grimsby as her one wealthy and city-bred relative.

He knew that to her mind her wedding would be but a poor affair if she could not have him and his present to display to her assembled friends, and, being abnormally considerate of the feelings of others, he had consented to go, and had spent far more money than he felt justified in doing in the purchase of a set of silver tableware in a neat wooden case, which he had at that moment under one arm, and which was very heavy.

In addition to the wedding present he was encumbered with an umbrella, a suitcase and a rain coat.

"What a fool I was to write Mary Ann not to send to the staton for me," he growled, "and that a walk of three miles along a peaceful grassy, country lane would be delightful. Grassy country lane, indeed! It's a nasty, weedy, dusty, rutty road. But it's country all right! O, yes! It's country, and it's peaceful all right. There's not a soul in sight.

"Now I wonder how the deuce Mary Anne ever found a man to suit her in this Sleepy Hollow, where nothing ever happens? She always had her heart set on a hero, a man with good red blood in his veins, a doer of deeds. That's the way Mary Anne put it, and she swore by the eternal gods that she wouldn't marry any other kind of two-legged creature.

"A hero here? Well, I guess not! Mary Anne changed her mind? Well, I guess not ether, no sirree-ee! What's the answer, then? Well, it beats me."

By this time Grimsby had arrived at a bit of sequestered woodland through which the dusty road wandered in an aimless fashion, as if it had no clear notion concerning the direction which it wished to pursue.

Hardly had he entered this wood and turned the first curve before a man, dressed in a ready-made and ill-fitting black frock suit and wearing a stiff bosomed white shirt, a tall, straight collar and a pair of cuffs which he pulled down to his thumbs, stroll-ed out from the shelter of some tall bushes, presented a revolver and remarked curtly:

"Money's yer life! Hands up!"

Fear surged through Grimsby, his knees knocked together and he felt a strange, creeping sensation under his hat, which suggested that his hair would have stood up if it had had a chance.

"Don't shoot!" he gasped, finding it impossible to obey the command regarding his hands promptly and dropped to his knees instead. "Don't shoot! I'll hold up my hands as quick as I can."

He grasped his coat and umbrella in one hand, slipped his thumb through the heavy cord with which the package containing the wedding present was tied, and taking it and the suitcase in the other, managed to execute the maneuver clumsily.

"Humm," said the highwayman, reflectively, "you might have put them down. It would have been easier."

Then he walked up and unhooked the wedding present from Grimsby's extended thumb.

"That's all I want," he said laconically, and walked off.

For a moment Grimsby remained on his knees, with his encumbered hands still raised aloft, then he slowly lowered them and rose trembling-ly to his feet.

Two emotions struggled in his breast. He had played the coward. Mary Anne would be dreadfully disappointed. What would he say to her when he arrived empty handed? What would he say to his friends if it ever became known that he had been held up in this fashion, had dropped to his knees, and begged for mercy?

The highwayman shouted off down the road looked over his shoulder.

"Going to the wedding?" he called.

"'Cause, if you be, you might as well come along with me."

He paused and waited. Grimsby, too bewildered to reply, walked on distrustfully, until he had caught up to him.

He noticed more particularly the man's clothes, the Sunday clothes of a rustic, and the honest tan of his face and hands. Suddenly an explanation came to him. The fellow was, like himself, a wedding guest, and having no present of his own and no money to buy one such as he deemed suitable—perhaps he was a discarded admirer of Mary Anne's who wished to make a show—had decided on this bold expedient.

At first it seemed that it would be an easy matter to denounce the fellow and recover his property, and—should declare that he had done it then he saw that it wouldn't. Suppose the fellow—and these country jays had such coarse ideas of humor—all for a practical joke, and suppose he described, with slight additions, the way his victim had fallen to his knees and besought him not to shoot? Grimsby imagined the roars of bucolic laughter and shuddered.

In silence he walked by the highwayman's side until they reached the front door with a certain nonchalance, rather amazing under the circumstances, said:

"Walk right in, mister," and then called more loudly, "Mary Anne! Here's Mr. Grimsby!"

Before he had time to reflect on these proceedings Grimsby was enfolded in his buxom cousin's loving arms, and by the time he had greeted his uncle and aunt, the highwayman had disappeared.

He had barely made up his mind to tell Mary Anne that he had sent a gift by express and to be very indignant and astonished because it had not arrived on time, when his Aunt Martha took him into the downstairs-bedroom to see the presents, and there in the place of honor was the sterling silver, with his own card properly displayed.

Mightily bewildered, he had no time to puzzle over the explanation of the matter, for a whisper ran about that the fatal moment had arrived and he found himself huddled up against the wall with the other guests and waiting in hushed expectancy, while Mary Anne's sister began to drawl a wedding march on the organ and everybody kept still and breathed hard.

After an age, and strung out about

HIS AUNT MARTHA ASKED HIM TO SEE THE PRESENTS.

three rods apart, the wedding party appeared and took places before the gray-haired clergyman in the corner.

The bridegroom's turn came, and he made an awkward, sidling entrance through the narrow door of the closed stairway which led from the regions above.

"Hah!" exclaimed Grimsby, then coughed confusedly and blushed.

The bridegroom was the highwayman of the wooded curve in the road.

"Why on earth?" thought Grimsby, and "what on earth?" and "who on earth?"

Then he lapsed into semi-consciousness as the wedding march came to the end and the clergyman cleared his throat.

The preliminary parts of the ceremony were soon gone through.

"Martin," said the minister, turning to the highwayman, "wilt thou have this woman to be thy wedded wife, to live together after God's ordinance in the holy estate of matrimony? Wilt thou love her, comfort her, honor and keep her, in sickness and in health; and forsaking all other, keep thee only unto her, so long as ye both shall live?"

"I will," respouded the bridegroom, distinctly, but he didn't look like it.

"Mary Anne," resumed the clergyman, turning to the bride, "Wilt thou have this man to be thy wedded husband, to live together after God's ordinance in the holy estate of matrimony? Wilt thou love, honor, and keep him, in sickness and in health; and forsaking all other, keep thee only unto him, so long as ye both shall live?"

"I will not," said Mary Anne, and the emphasis was on the not.

There was a sensation, but it wasn't as much of a sensation as it would have been if the assembly had not been composed wholly of Mary Anne's lifelong friends and acquaintances. It was not consternation, but restrained hilarity, which made the guests breathe deeply and sway to and fro.

The bridegroom did not seem either surprised nor annoyed.

"Mary Anne," began the clergyman sternly, "did I understand you to say that you wouldn't?"

"You did," affirmed Mary Anne emphatically, with flashing eyes, glowing cheeks, and defiant mind.

"But she will just the same" declared the bridegroom with confidence.

"I will not," reiterated Mary Anne, stamping her foot dramatically.

"Now, Mary Anne, my dear young woman," expostulated the clergyman. "What does this mean? How does it come that when we have all assembled here to witness your marriage to Martin, that you flatly refuse him? You must explain yourself or I'll go right ahead and pronounce you man and wife anyway."

"I'll explain, Mr. Cutright," declared Mary Anne proudly, "I'll explain gladly. I have been the victim of an imposition. When Martin asked me to marry him I told him that I had only one objection, and that was that he wasn't a hero, a man to stir the hearts of those with good red blood in their veins. Martin said he was a hero, only he'd never had a chance to show any of it around here, where things was always so quiet. But he promised me solemnly that if I'd have him, he'd do something real heroical before the solemn hour and article of the wedding.

"Now, Mr. Cutright, that solemn hour and article has come. I gave Martin up to the very last minute. He had failed to do the deed and I won't marry him, so there. He has deceived me. He has failed to keep the promise that he made."

Mary Anne turned and pointed at her betrothed husband dramatically, and in excellent imitation of a tragedy queen she hissed the one word:

"Coward!"

"I ain't neither," said Martin emphatically, scratching the place where his stiff collar sawed his neck most, "and I hain't failed to keep my promise, and I can prove it by Mr. Grimsby, over there in the corner."

He swung half way about and caught Grimsby's eyes, then swung back and faced the clergyman.

"Mr. Grimsby will testify that no later than this very day I done a brave and heroical deed. I don't like to brag, and so I won't say what it was, and I won't ask Mr. Grimsby to say. All I ask is that he will solemnly, before this here assembled congregation, declare that what I say is so."

"Is this true," cousin Harold?" demanded Mary Anne, facing about eagerly.

Grimsby in his corner, finding all eyes upon him, blushed and stammered.

"It—it's true, Mary Anne," he cried excitedly, "it's true all right. I'll swear that Mr—Mr" for the life of him he couldn't remember the bridegroom's surname—"that Mr. Martin is—is a—a hero—and a gentleman."

"I can believe my cousin Harold," declared Mary Anne proudly, turning back to the clergyman. "I am satisfied."

"Ahem!" interrupted the clergyman, opening his book again. "I suppose, then, that I may resume the ceremony?"

"You may," agreed Mary Anne, blandly, "and I change my answer from 'I wilt not' to 'I wilt too.'"

LOVE'S MOTIF

BY ELSIE ENDICOTT.

EVANS sat in his mean looking little car and gloomed. He had passed no less than a hundred motors, and in one and all of them there had been fragments of the feminine world. He alone, in all the vast creation, seemed without a companion.

The day was glorious, and the night would be perfect, with a full moon waning into dawn, and still Evans was alone in his car. He swerved quickly to one side as a car as mean looking as his own, and of the same make, hurled itself along the road.

"Idiotic driver!" muttered Evans and felt a little less gloomy.

He watched the gray car ahead of him careening across the road and was fearful for the occupants.

Evans quickened his own speed that he might better keep the other car in sight.

"That man knows about as much about the car he's running as I do about making blouses!" was Evans' next comment as the car came within an inch of a farmer's wagon.

"He has no business taking a woman out with him," growled Evans.

He drew a quick breath. The gray car had come to a jerky stop. Whether it had collided with something or not Evans was not near enough to see.

"They got a jolt anyway!" He put on greater speed and finally drew near the other car.

A sigh of relief escaped Evans' lips. There was no accident; something was wrong with the engine. He went slowly past and turned a glance at the sole occupant of the machine. Control of his own car for a second was lost to Evans.

The girl in the car was the most beautiful woman in the world, as well as the—

But what did it matter? Three weeks ago the light of the universe had been snuffed out for Dave Evans. What did it matter how beautiful the woman in the car was now?

He went slowly past. The head of the girl was averted and she spoke to the man who was crawling in a helpless sort of way under the car.

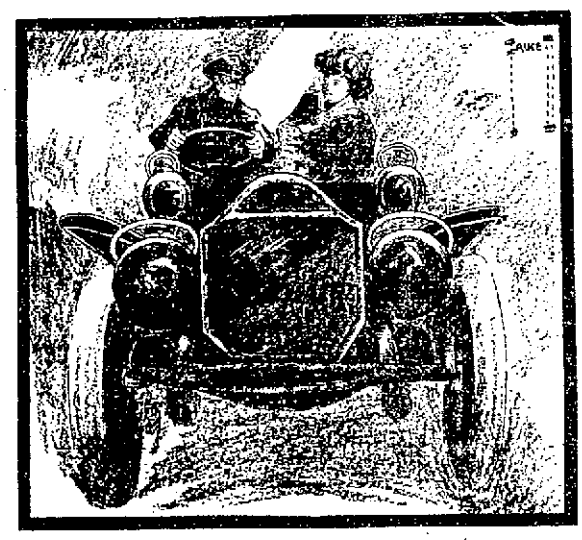
Evans swore under his breath as he caught a fleeting glimpse of the man's legs. Even they expressed inadequacy to cope with the situation of a broken engine.

Evans put on speed and swept rapidly along the road, and as he reached the less frequented roads his speed grew to an alarming rate. And through it all, in the swiftly-sighted then vanishing scenery, the face of the woman in the gray car haunted him. Yet he flung himself further and further from her.

After a half hour of speeding the nervous energy had in a measure exhausted itself, and Evans began to review the situation more calmly.

The sight of the girl had certainly wrought havoc in his heart, yet he felt lot to present himself in the capacity of succor. The man sprawling under the car might take his offer as an insult.

Evans found that he was turning again in the direction of that gray car. He went slowly, intending to go past without apparent interest.



"I COULD HAVE FIXED IT IN ONE SECOND," DAVIE SAID.

As he drew near his heart pounded. The girl had descended from the car and was sitting on a comfortably established bowlder.

That the man sitting on the step of the motor and the girl on the bowlder had had a slight difference of opinion was evident to Evans. There was airy indifference expressed in every line of the girl's attitude.

Evans looked at the man. Then he brought his own car to an abrupt stop. Jumping out he took off his great goggles with one hand and held out the other to the man on the step.

"Evans!" They gripped hands joyously. "I would have known you anywhere!"

Reminiscences of college days followed for the next 15 minutes. Evans kept a wary eye on the girl on the bowlder. After one quick glance from beneath her eyelashes she maintained a haughty indifference and hummed while the two men talked.

With tardy politeness Danny Wood turned to the girl.

"Miss Turner—I have run across an old friend—Mr. Evans, Miss Turner." He made the introduction over the intervening space.

The girl's color rose, and she inclined her head slightly and went on with her humming.

"It's a wonder you didn't run across a chicken—or something important," Evans said by way of breaking a chilly, awkward silence.

Wood winked and said in low tones, "Miss Turner is a bit peevish because I refused to walk ten miles to the garage for help." He drew out his watch. "By Jove! I absolutely must catch the 10:30 train for the West tonight! It means my position. That blamed machine is out of commission—"

"You don't seem to know much about a car," Evans said. "I will have a look." He went down under the gray car, but came quickly up. "No more go in this car for the present." He looked straight at the girl on the bowlder. "If Miss Turner will be so good as to remain here I will run you to town and return for her."

"O, I say! I don't care much for that!" Wood expostulated, but cast hopeful eyes toward Helen. "Couldn't we manage three in your car—I could sit on the step."

"Too risky." Evans shook his head. "We will have to make a dash for it now, and I won't chance putting anyone on the step."

"What do you say, Helen?" Danny Wood turned to the girl. "I am sorry the thing has happened—but it was unavoidable. I can trust you to Evans."

The blood mounted slowly to Helen's cheeks, but her smile was politely sweet. Dave Evans felt his teeth clinch and determined to break that spirit.

"Since there is no other way," she said in a voice that made Evans' heart beat quickly. "I will wait here."

"I don't exactly like the way you said that," laughed Danny. "Promise me—you will wait."

Helen throw an indignant glance at him and blushed for what she had in her mind. "I promise."

Evans sprang into his car while Danny made his adieux and, without a backward glance at the girl, Evans was off down the road.

Twilight was sitting down over the fields when he again approached the girl. Her attitude was much the same save, perhaps, that her eyes were a trifle less cold, and her lips had a little wistful curve.

"Did it seem long?" Evans asked in his most polite voice.

"No," she returned, and permitted him to help her into the car.

They were crawling slowly along through the twilight. The girl turned half way toward Evans, who looked straight ahead.

"Was the other car badly damaged?" she asked.

"I could have fixed it in one second," Evans said.

The girl cast a startled glance at him. She was silent then, and after a moment Evans felt that a trembling emotion had swept through the girl's figure. The strain of the afternoon, he decided, and the long wait on the lonely road had told upon her.

He turned, intending to tell her that he was taking her to a little inn not far distant where she could get a cup of tea. He looked into her eyes and his own said that which she had been looking for.

"Davie dear," she said quickly and with the light of the world shining in her expression. "I have spent three miserable weeks—I am sorry I told you I didn't—" She stopped confused, and hid her eyes on the broad shoulder so near.

"Didn't what?" Dave asked, and gripped hard the wheel of the mean looking little car.

"—love you," Helen concluded.

THE NEW NOTE

BY JOE BUSH.

JOHN DILLON had loved and wooed Enid Vance not so much from the finer workings of the masculine heart toward the feminine as for other motives. He had selected Enid as a fitting mate. Her cheeks were crimson with the vigor of health and her step elastic. To associate her with the rearing of anything but a fine race of men was to doubt truth itself.

With this in view Dillon had proposed to and been rejected by Enid—she having chosen to bestow her hand and heart upon the less serious minded Billy Laughorn.

The week following the blasting of his hopes found Dillon escaped into the country, where he wanted to forget the expression of Enid's eyes and the crimson of her lips. Then, too, his book upon "Child Life and Modern Parentage" would progress the quicker for the seclusion of the country lanes.

It was in the heart of the woods, while he was thus engrossed, that wan-eyed anemia Elsie Lane passed him by.

John Dillon cast but a fleeting glance at her; he was in no way interested in girls since Enid had turned him down, and least of all would care to rest his eyes upon the drooping, listless figure of Elsie Lane.

The girl, in her turn, watched him with covert scrutiny. Rumor had it that this man was going about the village expressing more or less unflattering opinions regarding the lack of well-balanced, healthy women in the world.

Elsie had taken these opinions as personal. Beneath the temporary listlessness of her manner there was a something that had caught fire at his words. Elsie realized that she, herself was wan-eyed and pale, but that was because her heart was broken, and her life ruined. Hadn't her father refused to let her marry Jack Rollins?

Although she was incensed at John Dillon for his slurring remarks, she realized that he was a splendid man. Together with her admiration there was a desire to avenge her sex in his eyes.

When she arrived home after seeing Dillon, she informed her father that she intended taking possession of the little cottage beside the woods.

"I want to try the outdoor life Daddy, and raise chickens and eat carrots."

Her father glanced quickly at her from under heavy eyebrows. Had his daughter's mind finally given way under the strain? Would it have been better to let her throw herself away on a worthless scamp than—?

Elsie's laugh interrupted his thoughts. He breathed a sigh of relief. It was the old-time spontaneous laugh that he had longed for.

"I only want to get back to pink roses—here," she told him, laying a finger on her pale cheeks, "and there is nothing in the world like carrots."

It was thus that John Dillon, passing the cottage on his way to the woods, saw a girl groveling in the garden with trowel and spade. He raised his hat when she smiled at him from beneath her lashes, because he remembered having met her at one of the village musicales.

Three weeks later he saw her again and this time stopped to admire the riot of flowers she had planted beside the wide veranda.

"Have one in your buttonhole

ELSIE

she suggested happily. "You look too somber." She selected a pansy and offered it to him. "I would offer you a carrot also—but perhaps you don't care for them raw." She was nibbling while she talked. "I eat a dozen eggs a day, drink two quarts of milk and consume bushels of carrots."

John Dillon laughed half in amazement and partly because he found the girl's laugh infectious. "But why," he asked, "are you doing all this?"

"I was wasting away to a mere shadow—because my father would not let me have the man I wanted." Mockery toward mankind was in the girl's voice, and Dillon felt slightly irritated.

They exchanged a few more casual words; then Elsie excused herself with the remark that her chickens were crowing for food.

John Dillon's book on "Modern Parentage" did not progress so well that day nor the next. Instead, he found himself admiring the girl who could so successfully build up her mental and bodily ills by sheer good sense and perseverance.

Once or twice he found himself comparing the ruddy crimson of Enid's cheeks with the delicate blush rose that was beginning to sweep timidly in Elsie's. The vagary of the smile in Elsie Lane's eyes charmed him now more than the unchanging vital sparkle in the eyes of Enid.

One morning when he passed the cottage Elsie was too absorbed by a cluster of children about her knees even to see him. When he arrived in the seclusion of the woods he kicked an unoffending wild flower.

During the day his thoughts strayed back to the picture of Elsie and the children. A sense of peevishness stole over him and he realized with a jerk of his thoughts that he was jealous—jealous of the tiny children with whom Elsie was happy.

He came to a stop in his walk. John Dillon was confronted with the certain knowledge that he had fallen in love with a girl without regard for her suitability as a wife. He was startled by the fact that he wanted her for herself, for her whimsical smile and her fascinating trickeries of voice and eyes.

In his desire to forget his longing for her he plunged into work on his book and found that it progressed with an easy flow of understanding marking its pages. When he had spent a day of splendid work he felt that he must approach the girl who had inspired him.

On his way toward the cottage, the whole thing dawned on him.

Elsie Lane was the one girl in the world to fit into his scheme of life. Any girl who had the strength to do what she had done—any girl who could turn the white roses in her own cheeks to pink might turn a nation of children into whatsoever she desired.

Dillon quickened his pace.

Twilight had dimmed the garden when he found her. She was just entering the door with a basket of fresh eggs from the nests.

"Have one," she called, when Dillon stopped at the gate.

"I am coming in," he made answer, and the new glad note in his voice sent her glance quickly toward him.

"I don't want an egg" he told her without preamble, "but I want everything else in the world—I want you."

In the semi-darkness Dillon watched the blood rush up even to the gold of her hair. She laughed quickly—a trifle unsteady. "But I am not vital, nor strenuous, nor—"

"Nor anything, Elsie, but—mine," he said.

DEMOCRATS OF FRESNO COUNTY TO MEET IN CONVENTION TODAY

Former Mayor Taylor of San Francisco Is to Speak at Mass Meeting Tonight; Oratory to Be Prohibited Until Business Is Over

The Democrats will assemble at 10 o'clock this morning in the new Armory hall, at the corner of Tuolumne and I streets to hold their county convention.

The meeting will be called to order by Henry Hawson, retiring chairman of the Democratic county central committee and according to present plans, all Democratic oratory will be omitted until after the business of the convention is completed. Plenty of time will be given then for campaign speeches.

Dr. E. R. Taylor, former mayor of San Francisco, at the time of the graft prosecution, will address local Democrates at a meeting to be held tonight in the same hall. Word was received yesterday that he would be able to be here.

The program for this morning provides for the selection of temporary officers and the appointment of committees. The reports of these committees will be received in the afternoon and the appointment of a county central committee will also be made in the afternoon.

W. D. Foote and S. L. Strother have been mentioned for chairman of the convention, with Foote seemingly in the lead, in favor. The temporary chairman will in all probability be made permanent.

For chairman of the county central committee, Russell Uhler has been most prominently mentioned and it is probable that he will be chosen without any opposition. E. E. Hughes will in all probability be re-elected secretary.

The Democrats are planning to have music to give some life to the convention. Candidates will be heard after the business is concluded.

The delegates to the convention are as follows:

Arizona—J. F. Bolton, J. G. McCardle.
Arlington—Russell Uhler, T. L. McNeece.
Auberry—Lee W. Sims.
Belmont—A. W. Petrea, W. B. Qualls.
Barstow—E. R. Adams, Thos. R. Ducey.
Balfour—F. Nickerson, A. L. Petrea, W. T. Schadle.
Bryant—None.
Big Sandy—Ernest Hopkins.
Bowles—I. Neilson, A. P. Elliott.
Bethel—Geo. F. Duckery, J. J. Edgar, J. M. Morrow.
Butler—None.
Crescent—K. P. Whitten, 1-2 vote; L. Roberts, 1-2 vote.
Clark's Valley—T. W. Street.
Chicago—Jas. Gallaher, A. H. Butler.
Clovis—G. G. Carr, A. E. D. Scott, A. Clyde Scott.
Central Colony—E. Tommassini, L. Seeberg.
Coalinga No. 1—Geo. Hinkel, G. H. Lewis, M. S. Gibson, Pat Conway.
Centerville—None.
Cantua—None.
Coalinga No. 2.—Henry Richmond, Frank Sherman, H. R. Jackson.
Coalinga No. 3—Minnie Eisele, A. H. Pauly, C. T. Walker, M. H. Griffin, 1-2 vote; Carl Roach, 1-2 vote.
Coalinga No. 4—Bud Gilbreath.
Coalinga No. 5—W. H. Kerr, H. S. Richmond.
Coalinga No. 6—R. L. Peeler, Geo. Roberts, S. A. Gulberson.
Coalinga No. 7—C. L. Kinney, 1-2 vote; H. P. Jayne, 1-2 vote; S. R. Bowen, J. R. Atkinson.
Coalinga No. 8—O. Abbott, H. S. Warren, J. T. Brown.
Dakota—Jno. Backenfus, W. A. Russell.
Del Rey—R. H. Bramblett, D. W. McClosky, 1-3 vote; H. H. Jokumsen, 1-3 vote; Mrs. E. Bramblett, 1-3 vote.
De Wolf—D. L. Howard, A. J. Devens, 1-3 vote; Hal Collins, 1-3 vote; W. L. Olinger, 1-3 vote.
Dry Creek—P. O. S. McMahon, A. P. Smith.
Easterby—Alice C. Baker, Ruby Sheip, W. S. Henderson.
East Fresno—W. D. Foote, R. D. Robinson, M. Kavanaugh, J. Killilea.
Firebaugh—Thos. Brown, Geo. Gruber.
Florence—W. H. Bradley, Jno. Grummett.
Fairview—C. G. Rogers, J. Tindall.
Fortuna—F. A. Jack, H. B. Quick.
Fowler No. 1—C. W. Beall, E. M. Drury.
Fowler No. 2.—Leroy Hudspeth, W. F. Smith.
Fresno Colony—Wm. Lynch, ½; H. A. Crowe, 1-2; J. H. Rasmussen, 1-2; Lucien Baker, 1-2.
Fruitvale—G. C. Clayton, J. H. Peak.
Fresno No. 1—G. L. Aynesworth, J. J. Senior, E. G. Adams.
Fresno No. 2—E. H. Cobb, J. D. Page, J. B. Dymott.
Fresno No. 3—S. M. Ray, Geo. W. Wood, W. H. Harkness.
Fresno No. 4—Al McNair, J. C. Garner, Frank Hart.
Fresno No. 5—S. L. Strother, N. J. Levinson, W. M. Harrell.
Fresno No. 6—E. E. Hughes, J. S. Sherrell, Heb C. Harvey.
Fresno No. 7—F. T. Walton, Reed Schaeffer, M. B. Havner.
Fresno No. 8—Tim Walton, Luther Nell, T. M. Lane.
Fresno No. 9—Thos. Bacon, Sam Bowen, E. S. Van Meter.
Fresno No. 10.—H. F. Martin, E. F. Branch, T. P. Montgomery.
Fresno No. 11—W. J. Hutchison, Geo. S. Smith, J. A. Burns.
Fresno No. 12—Morton Hansen, D. O. Davis, H. M. Boust.
Fresno No. 13—B. F. Slifer, J. W. Neal, B. F. Gitchell.
Fresno No. 14—G. W. Cartwright, T. E. Collins, J. D. Collins.
Fresno No. 15—L. Levy, O. B. Doyle
Fresno No. 16—None.
Fresno No. 17—J. E. Hughes, M. K. Harris, W. D. Bowen.
Fresno No. 18—None.
Fresno No. 19—None.
Fresno No. 20—G. W. Smith, Chas. De Toy, P. Ludvigsen.
Fresno No. 21—Pat Clasby, 3-4; J. B. Daly, 3-4; H. W. Clinch, 3-4; M. K. Harris, 3-4.
Fresno No. 22—A. D. Giger, Thos. Duncan, G. B. Campbell.
Fresno No. 23—None.
Fresno No. 24—J. E. Mitchell, F. Wolford, L. G. Muller.
Fresno No. 25—Jennie Watkins, C. W. Edwards, W. T. Mattingly.
Fresno No. 26—Geo. M. Boles, Luke Shelley, G. A. Hammond.
Fresno No. 27—Henry Hopkins, J. B. Johnson, W. H. Cureton.
Fresno No. 28—N. P. Justy, H. Joseph, Fred Bielenberg.
Fresno No. 29—Susan Forshee, E. Robinson, A. F. Fleenor.
Fresno No. 30—L. B. Hayburst, 3-4; W. S. Crane, 3-4; Geo. W. Cartwright, 3-4; E. F. Clarke, 3-4.
Fresno No. 31—J. S. Bradley, M. J. Aguirre, C. V. Cobb.
Fresno No. 32—J. C. Brown, J. W. Copperman, E. H. Johnston.
Fresno No. 33—J. H. Crow.
Fresno No. 34—None.
Fresno No. 35—John Lamothe, Fred O. Meyers, Pat Cleary.
Fresno No. 36—H. P. Heir, Geo. F. Fries.
Garfield—R. E. L. Cobb, W. W. Behymer.
Gill—Wm. Carr, B. F. Lewis.
Grant—J. B. Simmerly.
Gould—W. C. Corlew.
Hedges—W. O. Watters, Mrs. Geo. E. Church.
Houghton—R. W. Sanford, H. D. Cloyd.
Hughes Creek—None.
Hume—James Bishop, W. A. Prater.
Huron—None.
Iowa—C. A. Gibson, H. W. Bonestell.
Jameson—A. Brown, J. N. Daniels.
Jefferson—S. T. Brown, D. H. Cadwallader, V. J. Clifford.
Kingsburg—H. T. Bishop, E. W. Pinkley.
Kerman—W. W. Duke, L. H. Clark.
Laguna—W. A. Flaherty, Herbert Waggoner, E. V. Rungoen.
Laton—A. G. Smith, J. R. Turner, B. H. Gresham.
Liberty—John Cerini, J. B. Lewis, W. W. Ballard.
Lucern—C. L. Berry, A. Erickson.
Lucile—W. H. Kerr, 2-3; A. P. Boust 2-3; A. C. Greer, 2-3; C. Bells, 2-3; Al Akers, 2-3; W. A. Greer, 2-3.
Madison—Dan Dismukes, C. F. Hart.
Malaga—S. R. La Rue, W. R. Briscoe.
Magnolia—J. Barclay, C. E. Burnett, A. J. Haines, ½ vote; E. Gower, ½.
Mechanicsville—N. Phillips, M. Simpson, George Myers.
Mendota—I. Myers, W. Clarno.
Mendocino—George Myers.
Mill Creek—C. C. Traweek, J. W. Wright.
Millerton—D. Thornton, G. D. Berkhead.
Monroe—E. G. Terry, H. G. Pedego.
New Hope—S. B. Williams, ½; Chris Smilley, ½ vote.
Oleander—W. Brooks, P. V. Chase.
Panoche—John Schock.
Parlier—R. C. Traber, C. R. Jones.
Piedra—Harry Boggs.
Pine Ridge—J. B. Wiemiller.
Placer—None.
Pleasant Valley—Paul Huntzch, T. J. Crumpton, D. C. Sloan.
Raisin—W. T. Helfer.
Reedley No. 1—J. P. Nell, T. C. Foster, W. B. Wright.
Reedley No. 2.—C. Jensen, John Saile, Roy Berryhill.
Rio Vista—J. C. Dyre, C. A. Cooper.
Riverside—W. T. Martin, J. F. Forney.
Sanger No. 1—Frank Simpson, G. Perry.
Sager No. 2—J. E. Burnett, C. P. Walton, J. Quinn.
Scandinavian—T. W. Chapman, ½; Jacob Hinesburger, ½.
Suria—P. H. McSharry, Geo. Hansley.
Selma No. 1—J. L. Mitchell, C. H. Chappell.
Selma No. 2.—J. D. Wagner, John Vanderburgh.
Selma No. 3—Herman Lohman, ½; L. B. Wilkins, ½; L. C. Elfers, ½; J. M. Dodson, ½.
Selma No. 4—Abner Ingram.
Smith Mountain—R. M. Porter, D. C. Donagon.
Squaw Valley—None.
Sycamore—Frank Laning, G. W. Barr.
Tielman—J. H. Chinn, 2-3; Minnie Wrenn, 2-3; Mrs. A. Button, 2-3.
Temperance—T. J. Alexander, J. A. Orr.
Perry—T. E. Horn, J. W. Myers, J. P. Gordan, S. Y. Gordan.
Toll-House—J. McMurty, G. P. Baley.
Volcano—C. Baley.
Wahtoke—R. McDonald.
Walnut—J. J. Schrock, W. L. Lynn.
Washington Colony—A. H. Brewster, J. C. Dwelle, G. C. Bagley.
West Park—H. W. Staub, R. W. Roy.
Watts Valley—None.
Wildflower—E. D. McGuire, Sam Elder.

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SHIPPERS SAY S. P. IS SLOW; DENIED BY HIXSON

District Agent Says Average Is Just Fraction Over Schedule

Market Reports, He Says, Do Not Tell Story; Cars Are Often Held

Green fruit shippers of this city are complaining that the Southern Pacific is very slow in getting cars on the Eastern markets, and that this has resulted in injury to fruit and low prices as a result. They claim that the Southern Pacific takes from fourteen to eighteen days to move a car from Fresno to Chicago, and that it takes from sixteen to twenty days to move a car to the Atlantic seaboard.

The charge of slow movement of fruit is flatly denied by J. F. Hixson, district commercial agent for the railroad.

Hixson asserted last night that he made an investigation only a few days ago, and on thirty cars picked at random found that the average time to Chicago was a fraction over seven days.

Both the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe agreed to move fruit to Chicago in seven days, and to move fruit to New York in ten days.

Hixson said there were isolated cases where cars were delayed in transit, but that this often was due to trouble with the particular car. Whenever anything happens to a car, Hixson asserted that it is cut out of the train and repaired, the train going on to its destination.

Market reports have been used by the local shippers to determine the time when cars arrived. The market reports show the date when cars are shipped and the time the sales are made, but does not tell when the car arrives at its destination.

It is claimed on the part of the railroad, that shippers do not take into consideration conditions in the market, in complaining about the slow shipments. If a car arrives in the market on Friday afternoon it does not go into the auction until Monday morning and the market deport does not tell of this delay.

It is further asserted that in many instances cars have been held, under ice, because of poor conditions on the market to which they have been sent.

While there are cases where considerable time was taken. Hixson declared last night that the shipping records would show that the cars have averaged practically schedule time.

The green fruit people have not taken any formal action toward the railroad, and probably will not.

GET FIGURES ON MALAGA SHIPPING

780½ Cars Move Out of Fresno District in the Month of August

FRUIT SHIPMENTS

Shipments reported	2235
Shipments yesterday	53
Total to date	2288

During the month of August, 780½ cars of Malagas left the Fresno district, according to figures in the hands of local green fruit shippers. These figures were secured when the shippers arranged to settle the cost of the Valley Standardization League, which was in effect during the entire month. The shippers were assessed pro rata, according to the amount of business they did, and it was in this way that the figures were secured.

The total fruit shipments during the month of August amounted to 1,350 cars. According to the figures on Malaga shipments, approximately 1,100 cars of Malagas have been shipped out thus far this season.

The market on Malagas throughout the East has dropped far below the profit line, and on practically every car shipped out now a loss is reported instead of a profit.

The Tokay market took a big drop in the East on Thursday, according to market reports received here.

Local shipments are increasing in size, and each day the shippers are hoping that something will happen to change the condition in the markets.

CORONER'S JURY CHARGES MURDER

Coroner W. A. Bean yesterday conducted an inquest over the remains of M. Medina, who died at the county hospital Tuesday, and the jurors after hearing the evidence brought in a verdict that Medina had came to his death from a gun shot wound inflicted at the hands of Manuel Garcia with homicidal intent. Medina was shot by Garcia in the Davy Crocket saloon about a month ago. Garcia claims that he fired the fatal shot because Medina struck him in the face with his hat. Garcia will be given his hearing on the murder charge in a few days.

WORKING ON ROAD TO NORMAL SCHOOL

Surveyor McKay looked over the ground yesterday and began work on the plans and specifications for the five-eighths of a mile of macadam paving of the road continuation of Olive avenue to the Normal school site, the cost of which the supervisors have agreed to bear. Mr. McKay will have the paper work ready to submit next Saturday, when bids will be called for to do the work. Advertising and letting of the contract will put off actual commencement of work until after the first part of November.

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—For the baby and little sister we have a broken line of colored kid shoes, strapped, 2 to 5 years, to clear at 25c pair.
—Odd sizes in girls' low shoes, 3 to 7 years, price 50c.
—For the young woman, slightly soiled white canvas shoes, high buttoned, $3.50 values, for $1.50.
—Ladies 'pumps in patent leather and suedes, short lines, odd sizes, $2.50 values, 75c pair.
—Women's patent colt "Sorosis" shoes, broken sizes, 50c pair.
—Women's "Juliettes," odd sizes, $1.50 values, 95c.
—For men and boys—
—The big schoolboy can get a strong pair of blucher shoes, $2.00 values, for $1.65.
—Odd line of men's high or low shoes, button or laced, nicely pointed toes, up to $6.00 values, for $1.98.

Misses' and Small Women's Heavy Coats

—For school or business wear, in all the new cloths, mixtures, chevriots, etc.; new designs for this season's wear. Price from $7.50 up to $17.50.

Fall Silk Waists $9.95

—New shipment of soft silk waists for fall and winter wear; beautiful striped designs and changeable effects; all colors; neatly made in new style collars. Price $9.95.

Sweaters for Babies 75c

—Cosy roomy sweaters for the boy or girl baby; rich cardinal color. Price 75c. Others in different styles in white, white and blue or red. Price $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50.

Black Sateen Petticoats for the Business Girl $1.50

—For the girl or woman going to business a good black petticoat is almost a necessity. We have just opened up a new shipment of strong black sateen skirts with plaited flounces, at $1.50; correct width.

The Best Corset Made

—Is a Royal Worcester and for the new autumn gowns, with their effect of straightness and slimness, the Royal Worcester is best adapted.
—Now that the new models are here, women planning fall wardrobes will like particularly to see these models.
—Slender figure corsets, low bust and medium hip, of good coutil, $1.00.
—Of coutil, medium bust and very long hip, $1.00.
—Still another of coutil or batiste, with low bust and long hip. Price $1.50.

New Fall Underwear

—Of the famous "Munsing wear," is now in stock. Stout, tall, short of thin, we have the correct size at the correct PRICES.

Boys' Peg Top Pants

—Separate pants, bloomer style, with the popular peg tops. Made of strong wool goods. Price 75c. Others at $1.00 up to $1.50.
—Corduroy pants for boys, big line at $1.50 pair.

Black Silk Taffeta $1.00

—A wonderful all silk taffeta in a soft finish; perfect in color, yard wide; special at $1.00 yard.

Curtain Scrim 15c

—This comes in white, cream and Arabian, 40 inch, round thread, good quality, 15c yard.

Bungalow Net 25c Yd.

—White and Arabian colors with pretty figures, deep colored; makes dainty and serviceable curtains; 45 inches wide; 25c yard.

Flannels for the Baby--Big Showing

FOR INFANTS' use we have a cream white flannel, Australian all wool, 27 inches wide, 50c.
—32 INCH WOOL SHAKER FLANNEL, very heavy and soft, good quality, at 60c yard.
—Silk warp wool flannel, 32 inches wide, $1.25 value; special at $1.00 yard.

And Now for Toweling We Have the Best Too

—FINE HUCK TOWELING, for fancy towels; 15 inches wide, plain or figured, 50c yard; in 18 inch width, at 60c yard.
—16 INCH IMPORTED HUCK TOWELING, natural brown color; new; generally used with linen embroidery for towels, runners, etc., 50c yard.
—16 INCH ALL LINEN RUSSIAN CRASH, for towels and fancy work, 20c yard.

Bed Spreads With Bolsters Piece to Match

—Bedspread sets are the newest idea in bed furnishing and they are pretty and practical as well. These spreads have scalloped edges, cut corners and are woven in handsome designs; the set, $5.00.

Boys' 50c School Shirts Slightly Soiled 35c

—Made of good percale, etc., in schoolboy sizes. They are rather soiled from handling, but a tubbing will soon fix that; price 35c.
—A good line of well made well fitting SHIRTS FOR BOYS AT 50c. Most all sizes.

We Must Not Forget the "Frankel Fifteen" Suits

—And overcoats for men. They're too interesting. The style—the fit—the patterns—all are faultless in the "Frankel Fifteen" garments. Buy a suit or overcoat and see for yourself. Save money now—and if the service is not satisfactory, remember you get a new suit or overcoat absolutely free. We'll show you the full line—and gladly.

Bath Robe Blankets

—The famous Beacon make; in two and the combined colors; quaint designs, with girdle cords to match. The values are unequaled at $3.00.

Grocery Specials

—Silk Soap 7 bars 25c
—35c bottles selected Spanish Olives stuffed with sweet peppers 25c bottle.
—50c cans Royal Baking Powder 40c can.
—Van Camp's Assorted Soups 3 cans 25c
—25c boxes Toilet Soap, 3 bars to box, 18c box.

Taffeta Waists $3.95

—Black Taffeta waists; stylishly made with neat rows of tucks and broad plaits. Price $3.95.

Guaranteed Combs 50c

—Large black rubber combs that are guaranteed to last a year, or to be replaced by a new one FREE, comes in all coarse or fine and coarse teeth, 50c each.

Spotless Brush 50c

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